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30 CONVICTS TO WORK ON NEW PRISON SITE

Temporary Quarters Ready For First Group of Prisoners.

EXPECT THEM ANY DAY

Will be Transported in Groups of Five and First Squad Will be Experienced Cooks—Others to Follow as Services Are Required.

Within the next week or two it is expected that upward of thirty convicts from the western penitentiary, at Pittsburg, will be brought to Bellefonte and put to work on the new prison site, nearby town. One lonely prisoner has been on the ground for some time past.

The Ishler house on the prison site has been fixed up for not only office purposes but also emergency use as a prison. Quarters have been provided for about thirty prisoners, the windows are barred and thirty clean, white beds await the coming of the first squad of convicts. The first group to arrive will be men experienced in cooking. They will get the kitchen in shape and have things in readiness for the twenty-five or more companions who are soon to follow. The first group of five may arrive today or tomorrow. To shield the convicts as far as possible the exact time of the arrival of the several groups will not be made known in advance by Warden Francies. The latter was in Pittsburg on Monday returning to Bellefonte on Tuesday night.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE

W. F. Kessinger Seeks Separation; Alleges Wife Deserted Him.

Proceedings in divorce mark the climax in the domestic troubles of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kessinger, of Blanchard. The case will be tried at the next term of court. The suit was entered by Mr. Kessinger. The cause given in the application is desertion. Kessinger is represented by W. G. Runkle. Mrs. Kessinger's interests will be looked after by N. B. Spangler.

Mr. and Mrs. Kessinger have been married about 15 years. They have three children, the oldest being 14 years of age. To those familiar with the case the divorce proceeding do not come as a surprise. The family troubles of the Kessingers have on a number of occasions been aired in magistrates' hearings and also in the courts.

Mr. Kessinger, as is well known in his home community, has strong religious convictions regarding personal customs. He wears his hair down to his shoulders, refusing to have it cut because, as he explains, of "conscientious scruples." In his various legal difficulties his honesty has never been questioned, so far as is known. He is obdurate, holding to the belief that he is a sort of "Second Messiah." During a recent case before the courts in which he was interested Kessinger was urged to have his hair cut, it being argued to him that his presenting a neat appearance in the court room would be greatly in his favor. Kessinger listened to the arguments and calmly replied: "No, I can't do it. I have conscientious scruples on the subject." That ended it. He appeared in the court room without having had his hair trimmed.

MAMMOTH BARN BURNED

Cronover Barn, Near Pine Grove, Destroyed With All Contents.

Fire of a mysterious origin yesterday destroyed the big Cronover barn on the old Awl farm, about three miles East of Pine Grove Mills. The barn was filled to the roof with this year's crops. Everything was burned.

The flames were discovered about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The inflammable contents were quickly consumed and in a remarkably short time the building was reduced to ashes. The barn was 120x60 feet and had everything in the way of modern improvements, including concrete floors, stalls, etc. Neighbors estimated that at the time of the fire the barn contained about 50 tons of hay, 600 bushels of wheat and 600 bushels of oats. There was some insurance. William Wilson is the present tenant on the farm.

Lightning Strikes Barn.

The mammoth bank barn of Ira Gates, on what is known as the Jacob Rider farm, at Gatesburg, was struck by lightning during Monday night's storm and burned to the ground. The livestock was saved, but the contents of the barn, including 50 tons of hay, 400 bushels of wheat, 400 bushels of oats, and farming implements.

WILLIAMS REUNION

Thirteenth Annual Gathering at Martha Largely Attended.

Saturday, August 24th, was the day set for the annual Williams reunion. As usual the day was all that could be desired. The place was in the beautiful grove owned by John Q. Miles, about a mile east of Martha on the Bald Eagle Valley branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad. From early morning the stream of visitors, friends and members of the Williams clan made toward the grove. By trains, automobiles, carriages, conveyances of all kinds and even on foot until by 2 o'clock it was estimated there were at least 2,500 people present. Superintendent J. K. Johnston of the Pennsylvania Railroad very generously permitted all trains, except No. 52, to stop at the grounds, which was a great accommodation to those traveling that way and all trains were crowded. The number of automobiles and carriages was so great that it was with difficulty that all could find room.

From 10:30 A. M. to 2 P. M. the main attraction was the dinner tables, and a trip over the grounds at any time during that interval would convince one that the Williamses were some eaters and that there is no famine in Bald Eagle Valley. From as far South as Texas, West to Colorado, Nebraska, Ohio and from all over the eastern part of the United States, they came to hold reunions of families and to attend "The Reunion." Families that have not all been together for years were again united for the day. From all parts of this State, from Centre and adjoining counties they came to attend the biggest event of the year in Upper Bald Eagle.

At 2 o'clock the assemblage was called to the speakers stand by the Drum Corps and in that corps were such old-timers as George Stine, of Buffalo Run, and John B. Thompson, of Altoona. They proved to the youngsters that they had not forgot their cunning with the fife and drum. After several selections, President A. S. Williams introduced Rev. Gilbert, of the Port Matilda Methodist Episcopal church, who very happily made all welcome. The response was made by Rev. C. Young, pastor of one of the Methodist Episcopal churches of Altoona, who at one time had served the community as pastor and who married into the Williams clan. James A. Gleason, Democratic nominee for Congress, and several others delivered fine addresses. Two games of ball were played with a great deal of enthusiasm. The day was very pleasantly spent in meeting old friends and acquaintances and every one had a good time. The conduct and order on the grounds was excellent and no disturbances marred the day. Harry Ebbs, of Milesburg, was busy dispensing ice cream and 100 gallons were sold during the day. "It is great," said a visitor from Clearfield. "This is the first place I ever saw them come out of the grave yard to attend a picnic." This remark was caused by the crowds coming down the cemetery road to the grove.

Many there were, who during the interval of a year had gone to the Great Reunion, where they rest from their labors and their works do follow them. They are missed not only at our annual meeting but in the home circle and at our own firesides.

We are glad for these mile-stones and hope this may never be discontinued but kept up as long as the name Williams shall be known among men.

Veteran Club Reunion.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Veteran Club of Centre County was held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at the office of Squire W. H. Musser to arrange for the holding of the annual meeting and reunion. In the absence of the president, General Beaver, Captain W. H. Fry, the vice president, presided. Several places for holding this year's meeting were suggested, but on motion of Captain Boal it was decided to have it at Grange Park, Centre Hall, on Tuesday, September 17. This will be the fiftieth anniversary of the battle of Antietam. Captain Boal was appointed a committee on grounds; W. H. Musser as a committee on printing and invitations and D. F. Fortney as a committee on resolutions and comrades who have answered the final roll call in the last year.

Dissolution Sale.

F. P. Blair & Co. announce a ten-day dissolution sale, made necessary by the retirement of a member of the firm. The sale begins today. Reduced prices are announced for everthing in the store.

To Hold Horse Sale.

Edward Hugler announces a public sale of a car load of western horses at the Haag Hotel stables, Bellefonte, on Saturday, August 31, at 12.30 o'clock Terms announced at the sale. The lot includes both draught and drivers.

PATRIOTIC BOALSBURG HONORS WAR VETERANS

Public Services as Tribute to Boys Who Wore Blue.

RANKS THINNING OUT

Women's Civic Club Arranged Exercises on Fiftieth Anniversary of Departure of Boalsburg Soldiers for Field of Battle.

August 1862—August 1912. Picturesque Boalsburg never presented a more inspiring scene than was witnessed on Wednesday of last week, the occasion being a reunion of a little group of Civil war veterans. The day marked the fiftieth anniversary for the boys who donned the blue and marched forth to battle for the Union. The good old town deserves to be known as "Patriotic Boalsburg," for it marked the birth of a half-dozen military organizations such as the Boalsburg Rifles, Captain Dunlap; Penns valley cadets, Captain Irvin; Cameron guards, Captain and later General Brisbin; Company G, 148th Penna. Vols., Captain McFarlane, and Company C, 23rd Regt., Lieut. G. A. Jacobs.

And now, after fifty years, but a handful of grizzly, old veterans answer to the roll call: Joseph Hettinger, George Markel, W. H. Close, James Poorman, John Hook, G. S. Koup, Israel Young, D. F. Fortney, P. Dale, D. W. Miller, Rev. George C. Hall, W. H. Fry.

Boalsburg is noted for its beautiful women and lovely girls, good music and patriotism. It was there that the strewing of flowers over the graves of our fallen comrades took place on that beautiful morning. As the sun shone out bright and clear several ladies with solemn tread, and with Miss Sophie Keller and Mrs. J. T. Stewart leading the way, proceeded to the cemetery and with flowers and wreaths bedecked the mounds of comrades over whom taps had been sounded. Many never returned and today they lie sleeping in [illegible] more graves in sunny southern states. It reminds us of the changes. Just fifty years ago that day Captain McFarlane, Company G, 148th Regt., bid adieu to dear ones and proudly marched away to the war with 127 men. Of that number 107 have answered the last roll call. Eight are residents of the county and but one was present on this occasion.

The celebration was held under the auspices of the Women's Civic Club and proved to be one of the greatest events of the season. At 5.30 P. M. the veterans assembled in the diamond, marshalled by Comrade John Hook, and followed the old flag to the Mary Woods home, where they were tendered a delicious supper. The tables were fairly burdened with the choicest of eatables and the hospitality of the home at once placed everybody at ease. Theodore Davis Boal was chosen toastmaster and responded by passing the cigars. There were appropriate toasts by Dr. E. E. Sparks, president of State College; Dr. Hall and Clement Dale. A very pretty and pleasing feature was the extending of a vote of thanks to Mrs. Woods for her generosity and also to the Women's Civic Club and especially to Mrs. Boal for her personal interest manifested in the welfare of the old boys in blue.

After supper there were numerous yarns and camp stories and then all marched to Boal Hall, where Dr. Sparks and Mr. Boal with the veterans were the guests of honor. The hall was tastefully decorated, the stage especially presenting a handsome appearance. A number of war songs were sung, the voices blending beautifully and Miss Rosa Woods presiding in a splendid manner at the organ. Mr. Boal was in general charge, and after the song service Dr. Sparks was introduced and spoke of the happy conditions surrounding the event. Colonel Fortney followed and in a brief way referred to early days which cost so many souls in defense of the flag. There were interesting recitations by a number of the ladies, some of the selections bringing tears to the eyes of those in the audience. The "camp fire" was in charge of Comrade W. H. Fry, who handled everything in fine shape. Clement Dale kept the audience in a good humor with his witty remarks. D. W. Miller gave a song and others indulged in interesting reminiscences. The happy event was brought to a close with the grand old veterans rallying around "Old Glory" while singing the "Battle Cry of Freedom" and the "Star Spanged Banner." The veterans were photographed before departing for their respective homes. The Civic Club realized about $50.

WOMEN WILL SHOW MEN THEY CAN DRIVE NAILS

Nobody Doubts It, But They Will Furnish Proof, Anyhow.

AT I. O. O. F. BIG PICNIC

State College and Bellefonte Lodges Will Hold Annual Outing at Hunter's Park on Labor Day—Big List of Contests With Prizes.

Hunter's Park will be a scene of activity on Monday, September 2, the occasion being the annual picnic of the Bellefonte and State College lodges of Odd Fellows. Indications are that a record-breaking crowd will be in attendance. There will be a baseball game between Bellefonte and State College and numerous minor contests, for which prizes will be awarded. There will be a box of choice cigars for the winning baseball team, the prize being donated by G. B. Jackson, of State College. There will be a blue-rock shoot, open to all, and with the following prizes: First prize, a coat chain presented by C. E. Shuey, of State College; second prize, box of cigars presented by Hazel Brothers, of Bellefonte; third prize, pair silk hose presented by J. Will Conley, of Bellefonte. Other contests and prizes follow:

Nail driving contest, Rebekahs only. First prize, Rebekah pin, presented by C. D. Casebeer, Bellefonte; second, box of candy presented by Harvey Brothers, State College.

Shot put, for Odd Fellows only. First prize, 6 pair of half hose, presented by Harry W. Sauers, State College; second, pocket knife, presented by H. P. Shaeffer, Bellefonte.

100 yard dash, Rebekahs only. First prize silk umbrella, presented by Joseph & Company, Bellefonte; second, toilet set, presented by R. D. Gilliland, State College; third, box of candy, presented by Snyder & Bosso, State College.

Bun [illegible] test, for children. First prize [illegible] Bellefonte; second, box of candy presented by A. C. Longee, State College.

Quoit match, between Odd Fellows from Bellefonte and State College. Prizes, set of quoits, presented by Potter—Hoy company, Bellefonte. Conditions announced on grounds.

100 yard dash, for men. First prize, pair of shoes, presented by C. N. Fisher, State College; second, wool sweater, presented by R. Brandman, Bellefonte; third, pipe, presented by G. T. Graham, State College.

Sack race, for boys. First prize, pair of shoes, presented by A. C. Mingle, Bellefonte; second, pair of cuff links, presented by M. Hurwitz, State College.

Candle race, for girls between 8 and 12 years. First prize, necklace, presented by Sheesly & Gentzel, State College; second, fancy dish, presented by L. D. Fye, State College; third, box of writing paper, presented by H. M. Myers, State College.

Children's race, between 4 and 6 years. Prize, Indian seat, presented by F. E. Naginey, Bellefonte.

The Bellefonte Central has arranged the following schedule of trains for the day:

Leave Bellefonte for park—6.30, 8 and 10.15 a. m., and 2, 4 and 6.05 p. m.

Leave park for Bellefonte—8.30 a. m., and 11.20, 3.30, 5.40, 7 and 9.15 p. m.

Leave State College for park—8, 9.20 and 11.50 a. m., and 5, 6 and 8 p. m.

Leave park for State College—6.46, 8.15 and 10.30 a. m., and 2.21, 5 and 7 p. m.

Fantastic Parade.

The Pleasant Gap Fire Company will hold a fantastic parade and festival on Saturday night, next. The parade will form at Noll's store at 6.30. The festival will be held in Noll's grove. All are cordially invited. The proceeds are for the benefit of the volunteer firemen. Turn out and help along the worthy cause.

More Cattle Die.

Several additional deaths of cattle in Centre County have been reported in the last week. They were among the number suspected of having contracted the disease in the mountain pastures nearby the old Ardell lumber camp, beyond Julian. Veterinarians anticipate that there will be a number of additional cattle die in the next week or two.

Osceola's New Postmaster.

John H. Warren has been appointed postmaster at Osceola. He succeeds Frank H. McCully, who filled the position for a number of years.

DESERTION ALLEGED

Mrs. Frank Smith Has Husband Arrested; Says She Has Letters.

Squire Henry D. Brown on Monday night presided at a hearing which followed the arrest of Frank Smith, of Milesburg, charged by his wife with desertion. Mrs. Smith, a sad-faced, refined looking woman, was the chief witness against him. At the conclusion of the hearing Squire Brown held the husband under $500 bail for court. Smith furnished the necessary bond.

The couple were married several years ago. For a time they resided at Snow Shoe. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Clara Price, who was murdered some years ago. On the witness stand Mrs. Smith said that she and her husband lived happily until he meet another woman in Bellefonte. District Attorney Fortney was at the hearing and had with him a bundle of letters. These, said Mrs. Smith, were written to her husband by the woman Smith met in Bellefonte. The letters will be used at the trial in court.

Since their separation Mrs. Smith has remained at Snow Shoe, while her husband has been living at his old home at Milesburg.

700 FRESHMEN

Record-Breaking Entrance Class Expected at State College.

A Freshman class of upward of 700 members is anticipated this year at State College. This will be the largest class to enter in the history of the institution.

Thus far about 580 men have registered for the Freshman class and it is expected that the next few weeks will increase this number to close onto the 700 mark.

State College officials are somewhat annoyed at a publication yesterday in a Philadelphia newspaper regarding the resignations of some members of the faculty to take positions with other colleges. As is always the case with good institutions, good men resign every now and then and their places are filled with others equally well qualified. The publication rather enlarged on the fact that a number of Professors happen to be [illegible]

TRIAL LIST

Cases Scheduled for Consideration at Next Term of Court.

FIRST WEEK.

George Confer vs. W. E. Hurley; appeal.

Ada Fisher vs. W. E. Hurley; appeal.

Frank Columbine vs. W. E. Hurley; appeal.

John Sebring, Jr., vs. M. D. Kelly; appeal.

Joseph Ammerman and Benjamin Etters, vs. Centre Lumber Co.; appeal.

F. S. Dunham vs. George T. Bush; appeal.

SECOND WEEK.

T. R. Harter vs. Nathan Haugh and others; replevin.

B. Annie Walker vs. admrs. of F. D. Fogelman; scire facias sur judgment.

William Witmer vs. J. F. Garner and Samuel Garner; fi fa.

J. I. Wagner vs. A. R. Moon and others; note.

Comm. of Penna vs Jeremiah Aumiller; trespass.

Thomas Fishburn vs. College township; trespass.

W. C. Lingle vs. Gelattly O'Donnell Co, Inc.; assumpsit.

Pittsburg Plate Glass Co., vs. Edgar Sheffer; assumpsit.

Mrs. Nancy Baker vs. Catherine Harper's executor; assumpsit.

W. F. Kessinger vs. Martha J. Kessinger; divorce.

J. W. Bruss vs. Roland C. Swisher and R. T. Comley; assumpsit.

John B. Martin vs. Alfred Baum; replevin.

Lemont Hotel and Catering Co., vs. W. Weber; assumpsit.

College twp. vs. Thomas Fishurn; trespass.

Jacob Marks vs. heirs of Sarah M. Noll, deceased, sci fa sur judgment.

Mary C. Eckert vs. Admrs. of Enos Ertley, deceased, sci fa sur mortgage.

W. H. Gardner vs. J. A. Bitner; trespass.

Moose Electors to Resign.

As a result of an agreement reached on Tuesday all Bull Moose presidential electors now on the Republican ticket in Pennsylvania will resign. Their places will be filled by the selection of friends of President Taft.

Heads P. O. S. of A.

Roy L. Schuyler, of Lock Haven, was yesterday elected president of the State P. O. S. of A., in convention at Scranton.

CLASSY HORSES WILL RACE FOR $1750 PURSES

Quite Nifty Bunch Entered for County Fair Next Week.

BIG THREE-DAY CARD

In Addition to Track Events There Will be Wild West Show and Other Features—Special Trains on Pennsy and Bellefonte Central.

Everything is in readiness for the big Centre County fair—September 3, 4, 5 & 6. Especially pleasing to lovers of racing is the card of track events planned for this year. Some of the best horses on the track this year are scheduled for the three-day meet and the fair managers are confident that the races will excel those of any previous year. The speed program follows:

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 4.

1. 2:12—Trot and pace, purse $3.00
2. 2:30—Trot and pace, purse $250.

Running race, $100.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 5.

3. 2:18—Trot and pace, purse $250.
4. 2:25—Trot and pace, purse $200.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 6.

5. 2:20—Trot and pace, purse $250.
6. Free-for-all, purse $300.

Running race, purse $100.

Nifty as the races will be they will constitute but one of many interesting features at the fair. There will be the wild west show, furnishing all kinds of thrills with fancy riding, etc. The exhibits are expected to touch the highest standard of any fair in this section in recent years. Blooded live stock from State College and also numerous private farms will alone be well worth a trip to the fair grounds

Make your plans now to attend. Don't forget the dates—September 3, 4, 5 & 6.

NO SUNDAY MAIL

Special Delivery Letters, Only, May Be Secured Here in the Future.

A new law recently passed by Congress closes all first and second class postoffices in the United States on Sunday. This takes in the Bellefonte postoffice. The law becomes effective at once. Hereafter special delivery letters, only, may be secured on Sunday. No mail may be distributed after midnight on Saturday night. Even though a person may have a lock box at the postoffice he will be unable to receive Sunday mail until Monday.

The new law will have the effect of making lock boxes a drug on the market. When the local postoffice some months ago abolished the practice of delivering mail to patrons at the general delivery window on Sunday there was a brisk demand for lock boxes. Sunday mail was distributed for box renters and the office lobby remained open until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Most box patrons used the boxes on Sunday, only. Since the new law prohibits the distributing of mail on Sunday there will be no advantage in renting boxes. The Sunday mail will be delivered by carriers on Monday morning.

Not only letters but newspapers and all other classes of mail are included in the new postal law. Scores of persons have in the past received their Sunday newspapers by mail. In the future such persons will have to patronize the newsdealer or wait until Monday for Sunday papers, unless the new law is liberally interpreted. It was said yesterday that a way would be found to deliver Sunday papers, also mail to guests at hotels.

Special Trains for Fair.

Special trains will be run by the Pennsylvania and the Bellefonte Central railroads for the big Centre County fair next week.

The Pennsylvania railroad will run a special train for Coburn and intermediate points on Thursday, September 5, leaving Bellefonte at 7 P. M.

The Bellefonte Central will run specials on Wednesday and Thursday, September 4th and 5th. On those two days a special will leave Bellefonte at 6 P. M. for State College and Pine Grove Mills. On Thursday, September 5th, a special train will leave Pine Grove Mills at 7.30 A. M..

Rural Carrier Vacancy.

Civil service examinations will be held on Saturday, September 14th, at Bellefonte, Philipsburg and State College to fill a position as rural mail carrier at Spring Mills and other vacancies as they may occur in rural routes at post offices in the county.

NOTED ENGINEER RETIRED

Was One of Most Prominent Officers in Service of Pennsylvania R. R.

Joseph Ury Crawford, Consulting Engineer of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and one of the most prominent officers in its service, having reached the age of seventy years Sunday, (August 25th,) will retire from active work on September first, according to the pension rules of the railroad. Aside from an enviable war record, Colonel Crawford has attained fame as an engineer both at home and abroad, and during his long years of service was engaged upon many important engineering projects.

Mr. Crawford was born at Ury Farm, Philadelphia, August 25, 1842, and educated at John W. Faries' school, from which he went to the University of Pennsylvania, in the class of 1862.

At the breaking out of the Cival war, Mr. Crawford enlisted in the 17th Pennsylvania Regiment, Washington Greys, of Philadelphia, when the confederate forces first fired upon Fort Sumpter, April 14th, 1861. He was commissioned Second Lieutenant, 6th New Jersey Volunteers October, 1861; promoted at Williamsburg to First Lieutenant, and to Captain at Seven Pines, June 1st, 1862. He was honorably mentioned in Division and Brigade reports of Battle the of Gettysburg.

From 1865 to 1870, Mr. Crawford was engaged in surveys crossing the Allegheny Mountains for the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad Company, and in New York and New England upon surveys and railway construction. He entered the service of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company as Senior Assistant Engineer of the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railroad during 1871 and 1872. He was Principal Assistant Engineer and afterwards Engineer of the California Division of the Texas and Pacific Railroad, under Col. Thomas A. Scott, and, on his recommendation, Mr. Crawford was appointed Consulting Engineer of the Government of Japan in 1878, at the close of which engagement he was decorated by the Emperor of Japan with the Order of the Rising Sun.

After his return to America, Mr. Crawford was employed by the late Jay Gould to make transcontinental examinations and surveys between the Pacific Coast and Salt Lake City, as well as in Wyoming and Nebraska.

In the fall of 1882, Mr. Crawford again entered the service of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company as Chief Engineer of the Pennsylvania Schuylkill Valley Railroad, and later built the Piedmont and Cumberland Railroad in 1886 and 1887. He was appointed assistant to J. N. DuBarry, Second Vice-President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, in August 1889, and upon the death of that officer, was appointed Engineer of Branch Lines. In addition to that position, he was Director of various branch railways associated with the Pennsylvania System. On July 28, 1897, he was appointed Chief Engineer in charge of the construction of the Norfolk and Portsmouth Belt Line Railroad Company, which connects with the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad.

Upon the recommendation of Frank Thomson then President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, Mr. Crawford was appointed by the Secretary of War, Consulting Engineer for the United States Government to examine into and report upon the transportation facilities in Cuba, which position he occupied from October, 1898, to May, 1899. On April 8th, 1902, he was appointed Engineer of the New York Connecting Railroad Company, and continued in that position until his retirement.

In the fall of 1910, Mr. Crawford was again decorated by the Emperor of Japan for faithful service as Consulting Engineer and Inspector of the Imperial Government Railways. This time the Emperor invested him with the Order of the Sacred Treasure, Insignia of the Third Class, Rising Sun.

On January 5th, 1911, Mr. Crawford was appointed Consulting Engineer of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Bitten by Copperhead.

The Lock Haven Express says that Gust Mignot, an employe of the paper mill, was bitten twice by a copperhead snake, while in quest of huckleberries on the mountain near Bellefonte.

Young Mignot, with several others were quite successful and had gathered many quarts of berries, when he came upon a marshy spot. While passing this he stepped on the snake, which sank its fangs into the man's left leg. Thinking that he had been struck by a thorn he reached down with his arm when the reptile again bit him, this time on the arm. Then he saw the snake, which attempted to get away, but he despatched it in short order an then hurried to Bellefonte with all possible haste, where Dr. Locke attended him.

After this Mignot came to Lock Haven and several times had the wounds cauterized by Dr. James L. Lobrecht. Although Mr. Mignot suffered considerably from the poisonous virus for several days, it is thought he is now out of danger.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders Children.

Relieve feverishness, bad stomach, teething disorders, move and regulate the bowels and are a pleasant remedy for worms. Used by Mothers for 22 years, They never fail. At all druggists, 25c. Sample Free. Address, A. S. Olmsted LeRoy, N. Y.

An Athletic Girl

And What She Achieved

By HELEN JENNINGS

Johnny Perkins and I were born in adjacent houses, only Johnny was born a year before me. Johnny had no boys to play with, and there were no girls living near me. The consequence was that we began to play together as soon as we were old enough to be playmates and kept it up till we were past ten years old. Johnny's mother was content to have him in my company. She said that when he played with boys they abused him, tore his clothes, robbed him of his playthings—in short, treated him with all uncharitableness. They induced him to climb trees, get into the mud and say bad words. I, being a girl, and rather a delicately organized girl at that, didn't tyrannize over him or otherwise injure him. I certainly didn't induce him to climb trees.

When Johnny was eleven years old his father got rich, and the family went to live in a big house, and I didn't see anything of him after that until he was twenty years old.

Meanwhile I had been growing more and more delicate, and the doctor, when I was sixteen, recommended little or no school and athletics. The consequence of this was that I grew robust and from a "little angel," as I was called, had become a sportswoman. I played tennis, golf and other out of door games and had become quite a horsewoman. Johnny, on the contrary, had been going downhill in this respect, just as I had been going uphill. When his father made money and Johnny was taken away from me his mother hired a nurse for him. It seemed the only way for her to keep him from tearing and soiling the beautiful clothes he was obliged to wear. His nurse watched him like a cat. If he got into a swing she would order him out. If he rolled in the grass she would pick him up, set him on his feet and ask him what he meant by getting the green on his white knickerbockers. The result of all this was that when Johnny reached the age of twenty he didn't know how to swim, he couldn't pull an oar, he had never ridden on a sled or glided on a pair of skates.

I overheard a lady who had known him since he was a baby say to my mother: "Johnny played too much with your daughter, Kate, when he was a little fellow, and when he was parted from her he fell into the hands of a nurse. That's what's the matter with Johnny, poor boy; he couldn't help it. He's been educated so and will remain so."

I had been very fond of my little playmate, and now that I had been changed from a fragile girl to a sportswoman I felt awfully sorry for the boy. Johnny had been handicapped. What I didn't like especially was the influence I had had on him in the beginning. I blamed myself for his condition, for, I argued, if he hadn't played with me when he was a little chap his mother couldn't afterward have tied him down to a nurse.

When I was nineteen I went to visit at the Perkinses. When I saw Johnny I was sorry. A more helpless man I never saw. He had never mingled with any except swells, and none but the most effeminate swells would have him around. I couldn't believe that he was the dear, honest, sympathetic, self sacrificing boy I had been so fond of and had remembered as my dear little playmate.

"Well," I said to myself, "I'll get some of that out of him if I have to kill him."

I had been invited to spend a week at the Perkins country home, and I determined to make the most of that week. Pocketing my repugnance to Johnny's effeminacy, I ran up to him with outstretched hands, taking both his in mine, and said:

"Oh, John; I'm jolly glad to see you again, old fellow. I've been eager for it ever since I received your mother's invitation. We'll have a hot time while I'm here. We'll just make things hum."

He looked at me in a half frightened way and said he was "vewy much pleased to meet me again." He "remembewed our childhood days vewy well." He seemed to be a bit taken back by my exuberance and especially my slang, which, by the bye, I adopted for the occasion.

"Have we time for a ride before dinner?" I asked. "We can talk over old times together in a canter."

"Oh, yes. I'll tell James to bring round the auto, or would you pwefer to go in the box wagon? James usually dwives me in the wagon."

"Neither. I'll go on horseback."

"Horseback! I don't know how to wide a horse."

"You'll have to learn if you ride with me. Come; order a horse for yourself and one for me."

A pained expression passed over his face. From force of habit he looked at his mother, who said that John had not learned to ride. She had intended to have him take riding lessons, but had never been in a position to do so. I must excuse him.

"I'll be his riding master," I said. "Come, Johnny; let's have a canter."

I had purposely brought matters to a crisis. If John was a natural milksop he would obey his mother, who attempted to command him by a frown. If he was a man he would stand by me, whether he knew how to ride or not. There was a brief struggle within him, and I won. He went out to the stable to select the horses and give his instructions. I ran upstairs, donned my riding clothes, and when I came down John appeared in an immaculate riding suit—he had never worn it before—and, going out to the porte-cochere, we mounted and rode away.

John had provided himself with a horse that could not be driven out of a walk, and even then the poor fellow had a hard time to keep his balance. But I had made a beginning and made up my mind that before I had got through with him he should be jumping logs and ditches. I was tempted to prick the animal he rode with a pin and get my pupil dumped on the turf, but I didn't wish to try too much at once, so I refrained. I gave him a short lesson of an hour, then permitted him to return to the house, take a bath and put on his evening clothes before dinner. He was quite exhausted, but seemed to be very proud of having ridden a horse.

It required only this much to convince me that John was a man, like other men. He had been deprived of the elements of development. How can a plant thrive without sunlight? My old playmate had grown to manhood in obedience to a natural law. He was like a boy who had been taught to swim by reading swimming instructions from a book. In other words, he had not learned at all.

The next morning I came down to breakfast in a tennis suit. John in immaculate morning costume.

"Go straight upstairs," I said to him, "and come back in your shirt and trousers. Do you suppose you're going to entertain me sitting on the piazza? Not on your life! You'll play tennis."

He gave a sickly smile, marched upstairs, came back in sporting costume, and after breakfast we went out to the court. He played the game, though he had begun too late to make much of a hand at it. When we had played one set he was tired, but I kept him at it till an hour before luncheon, and he went in to the tub reeking with perspiration.

At the end of the week a great change had come over John. He had got some of the "soft" out of him and had entered upon a new career. I had been a link for him between his mother and freedom. Before the week expired he had declared his independence and developed a natural taste for athletic sports. He was like a plant brought from a cellar and placed in the shower and sunshine of an April day. He wouldn't hear of my leaving. I must stay on indefinitely, as long as I would.

His mother needed some one to take him from her influence as much as he. She had followed a habit and was not sorry when she saw that I was trying to undo what she had done. As there [illegible] her son manly, even though [illegible] the cause of his effeminacy.

I remained at the Perkinses for a month and even then found it hard to get away. I had nearly killed Johnny, but he said "he liked it." His mother didn't approve of that part of it and asked me if a taste for athletics necessarily involved breaking persons' necks. I replied that an occasional neck was necessarily broken in athletics, as well as in other less strenuous pursuits.

A year passed, during which I was constantly spending short or long terms at the Perkinses. Athletics were to Johnny like a new toy to a child. In the winter he learned to skate and in the summer to swim. He was greatly handicapped on account of learning those accomplishments late in life and had he not had a strong natural taste for them would not have learned them at all. As it was, he became fairly proficient in them.

I was repaid for all my trouble—if it can be called such—by John himself. Among other sports, I was fond of canoeing. It seems to me the most dangerous of all outdoor sports, even for those who can swim—that is, if they go too far from land. One day Johnny and I were paddling in a canoe on a bay of the Atlantic ocean. We ventured too far out and were caught in a squall. We saw it coming and death in it. In John the nature of a strong man triumphed over the disadvantages he had so long endured. He became the anchor, I the clinger. He ordered me to lie down in the bottom of the boat in order to preserve its equilibrium, while he crouched as low as possible and still worked a paddle. Watching the wind coming over the water, he kept the canoe in a position to be struck on the stern instead of on the side.

We plunged on the crests of the waves for awhile, but no strength or skill could keep us straight before them. The canoe turned, and the next wave that struck us keeled it over. Both swam for the boat, which floated bottom up, and caught it.

There is a good deal in this story about what I did for John and very little about what John did for me, and yet what he did for me, though concentrated within half an hour, was worth many times my efforts in his behalf.

The wind howled; the rain poured down on and about us, obscuring the land. The waves dashed themselves against us as if determined to drive us from our frail support. And during this time John was holding me in my perilous position, both of us clinging to the canoe. Then when it was all over and boats came to our assistance they took me aboard unconscious.

I had saved John from a life of effeminacy, and he had saved me from death. I found him as necessary to me as I had been to him, and we have never parted.

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The western part of the State, which is starting in to reclaim considerable land for farming and for cattle raising, owing to the good prices now realized for steers, appears to have more brands than the east and particular attention is to be paid to the sampling of feeds to see if the law is being complied with.

Firemen Elect Officers

The Central Pennsylvania Volunteer Firemen's Association at its convention in Hollidaysburg elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Morris Meyers, of Jersey Shore; first vice president, Robert Sinox, of Patton; second vice president, Fred Weston, of DuBois; secretary, W. C. Langsford, of Houtzdale; treasurer, Frank Grebe, of Philipsburg. A. H. Rumberger was chosen delegate to the State convention with James B. Whitehill, of DuBois, as alternate.

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State Society for Deaf.

The twenty-sixth annual convention of the Pennsylvania society for the Advancement of the Deaf, adjourned at Wilkes-Barre last Friday after re-electing the following officers:

President, James S. Reider, Philadelphia; first vice president, F. R. Gray, Pittsburg; second vice prerident, S. S. Haas, Shamokin; secretary, Robert M. Zeigler, Mt. Airy, Philadelphia; treasurer, John A. Roach, Philadelphia. Only two towns were after next year's convention, Pittsburg and Shamokin, with the odds greatly in favor of the former; the board of managers will select the place at their next meeting.

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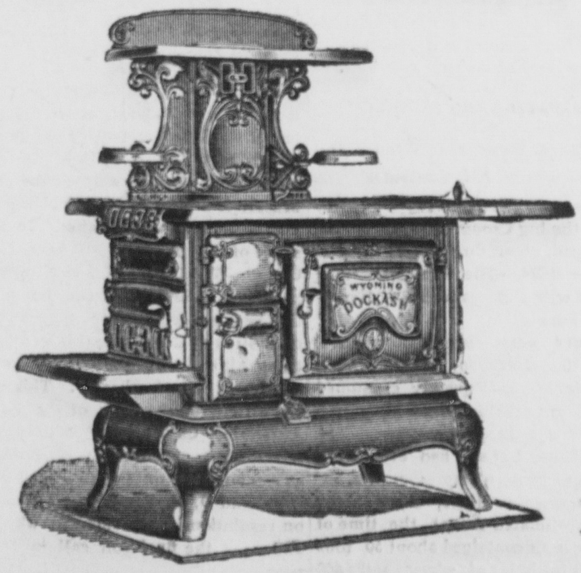

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION SUBMITTED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION, BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

Number One.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to article nine, section four, of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, authorizing the State to issue bonds to the amount of fifty millions of dollars for the improvement of the highways of the Commonwealth.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania be, and the same is hereby, proposed, in accordance with the eighteenth article thereof:—

That section four of article nine, which reads as follows:

"Section 4. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State, except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the State in war, or to pay existing debt; and the debt created to supply deficiency in revenue shall never exceed, in the aggregate at any one time, one million of dollars," be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 4. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State, except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection, defend the State in war, or to pay existing debt; and the debt created to supply deficiencies in revenue shall never exceed, in the aggregate at any one time, one million of dollars: Provided, however, That the General Assembly, irrespective of any debt, may authorize the State to issue bonds to the amount of fifty millions of dollars for the purpose of improving and rebuilding the highways of the Commonwealth.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 1.

ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Two.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section seven, article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, so as to permit special legislation regulating labor.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof. Amendment to Article Three, Section Seven.

Section 2. Amend section seven, article three of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:—

"Section 7. The General Assembly shall not pass any local or special law authorizing the creation, extension, or impairing of liens:

"Regulating the affairs of counties, cities, townships, wards, boroughs, or school districts:

"Changing the names of persons or places:

"Changing the venue in civil or criminal cases:

"Authorizing the laying out, opening, altering, or maintaining roads, highways, streets or alleys:

"Relating to ferries or bridges, or incorporating ferry or bridge companies, except for the erection of bridges crossing streams which form boundaries between this and any other State:

"Vacating roads, town plats, streets or alleys:

"Relating to cemeteries, graveyards, or public grounds not of the State:

"Authorizing the adoption or legitimation of children:

"Locating or changing county-seats, erecting new counties, or changing county lines:

"Incorporating cities, towns, or villages, or changing their charters:

"For the opening and conducting of elections, or fixing or changing the place of voting.

Granting divorces:

Erecting new townships or boroughs, changing township lines, borough limits or school districts:

Creating offices, or prescribing the powers and duties of officers in counties, cities, boroughs, townships, election or school districts:

Changing the law of descent or succession:

Regulating the practice or jurisdiction of, or changing the rules of evidence in, any judicial proceeding or inquiry before courts, aldermen, justices of the peace, sheriffs, commissioners, arbitrators, auditors, masters in chancery or other tribunals, or providing or changing methods for the collection of debts, or the enforcing of judgments, or prescribing the effect of judicial sales of real estate:

Regulating the fees, or extending the powers and duties of aldermen, justices of the peace, magistrates or constables:

Regulating the management of public schools, the building or repairing of school houses and the raising of money for such purposes:

Fixing the rate of interest:

Affecting the estates of minors or persons under disability, except after due notice to all parties in interest, to be recited in the special enactment:

Remitting fines, penalties and forfeitures, or refunding moneys legally paid into the treasury:

Exempting property from taxation:

Regulating labor, trade, mining or manufacturing; but the legislature may regulate and fix the wages or salaries, the hours of work or labor, and make provision for the protection, welfare and safety of persons employed by the State, or by any county, city, borough, town, township, school district, village, or other civil division of the State, or by any contractor or sub-contractor performing work, labor or services for the State, or for any county, city, borough, town, township, school district, village or other civil division thereof:

Creating corporations, or amending, renewing or extending the charters thereof:

Granting to any corporation, association or individual any special or exclusive privilege or immunity, or to any corporation, association, or individual the right to lay down a railroad track:

Nor shall the General Assembly indirectly enact such special or local law by the partial repeal of a general law; but laws repealing local or special acts may be passed.

Nor shall any law be passed granting powers or privileges in any case where the granting of such powers and privileges shall have been provided for by general law, nor where the courts have jurisdiction to grant the same or give the relief asked for.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 2.

ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Three.

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amendment to section three of article eight of the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (if the Senate concur), That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

Section 2. Amend section three of article eight, which reads as follows: "All judges elected by the electors of the State at large may be elected at either a general or municipal election, as circumstances may require. All the elections for judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and for county, city, ward, borough, and township officers, for regular terms of service, shall be held on the municipal election day; namely, the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in each odd-numbered year, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto: Provided, That such elections shall always be held in an odd-numbered year," so as to read:

Section 3. All judges elected by the electors of the State at large may be elected at either a general or municipal election, as circumstances may require. All elections for judges of the courts for the several judicial districts, and for county, city, ward, borough, and township officers, for regular terms of service, shall be held on the municipal election day; namely, the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November in each odd-numbered year, but the General Assembly may by law fix a different day, two-thirds of all the members of each House consenting thereto: Provided, That such elections shall be held in an odd-numbered year: Provided further, That all judges for the courts of the several judicial districts holding office at the present time, whose terms of office may end in an odd-numbered year, shall continue to hold their offices until the first Monday of January in the next succeeding even-numbered year.

A true copy of Concurrent Resolution No. 3.

ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Four.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section one of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, relating to taxation.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

Section 2. Amend section one of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which reads as follows:

"All taxes shall be uniform, upon the same class of subjects, within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax, and shall be levied and collected under general laws; but the General Assembly may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes, actual places of religious worship, places of burial not used or held for private or corporate profit, and institutions of purely public charity," so as to read as follows:

All taxes shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects, within the territorial limits of the authority levying the tax, and shall be levied and collected under general laws, and the subjects of taxation may be classified for the purpose of laying graded or progressive taxes; but the General Assembly may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes, actual places of religious worship, places of burial not used or held for private or corporate profit, and institutions of purely public charity.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 4.

ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Number Five.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof:—

Article IX.

Section 18. No obligations which have been heretofore issued, or which may hereafter be issued, by any county or municipality, other than Philadelphia, to provide for the construction or acquisition of waterworks, subways, underground railways or street railways, or the appurtenances thereof, shall be considered as a debt of a municipality, within the meaning of section eight of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania or of this amendment, if the net revenue derived from said property for a period of five years, either before or after the acquisition thereof, or, where the same is constructed by the county or municipality, after the completion thereof, shall have been sufficient to pay interest and sinking-fund charges during said period upon said obligations, or if the said obligations shall be secured by liens upon the respective properties, and shall impose no municipal liability. Where municipalities of counties shall issue obligations to provide for the construction of property, as herein provided, said municipalities or counties may also issue obligations to provide for the interest and sinking-fund charges accruing thereon until said properties shall have been completed and in operation for a period of one year; and said municipalities and counties shall not be required to levy a tax to pay said interest and sinking-fund charges, as required by section ten of article nine of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, until after said properties shall have been operated by said counties or municipalities during said period of one year. Any of the said municipalities or counties may incur indebtedness in excess of seven per centum, and not exceeding ten per centum, of the assessed valuation of the taxable property therein, if said increase of indebtedness shall have been assented to by three-fifths of the electors voting at a public election, in such manner as shall be provided by law.

A true copy of Joint Resolution No. 5.

ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Summary of Financial Statement for the School District of Bellefonte Borough for the Seven Months Ending July 1, 1912.

Assessed Valuation	$1,074,635.00
Per Capita Tax	752.00
4 mills for Sinking Fund and Interest	6698.54
7 mills for school purposes	11722.44

GENERAL FUND.

Account of Charles F. Cook, Treas.

Receipts	18248.85
Expenditures	18209.44
Balance in hands of Treas	39.41

SINKING FUND AND INTEREST ACCT.

Receipts	5619.02
Expenditures	4557.47
Balance in hands of Treas.	1062.45

BALANCE SHEET OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

Assets	14832.22
Liabilities	101150.00
Total Indebtedness	86317.78

July 27, 1912. Auditors { C. A. LUKENBACH, C. K. HICKLEN, EDWARD L. GATES

An Ordinance.

Granting the Unionville Electric Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, the right to construct, operate and maintain poles, wires, cables and fixtures, together with the necessary supports upon, over, along and under the streets, highways, foot-walks, lanes and alleys of the Borough of Unionville, Centre County, Pennsylvania.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Council of the Borough of Unionville, County of Centre and State of Pennsylvania, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

SECTION 1. That the privilege be and is hereby granted for 50 years to the Unionville Electric Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, to construct, operate and maintain the necessary poles, wires, cables, conduits and fixtures, together with the necessary supports upon, over, along and under the streets, highways, foot-walks, lanes and alleys of said Borough as may be necessary for the purpose of constructing, operating and maintaining its lines through the said Borough and to the places of business, works, manufacturing establishments, offices and houses of subscribers within the Borough limits and adjacent thereto, subject to the conditions and regulations hereinafter contained.

SECTION 2. That the said Unionville Electric Company shall replace the streets, highways, foot-walks, lanes and alleys of said Borough upon which it may place any of its poles, conduits, lines or fixtures as aforesaid, in as good condition as they were before said poles and fixtures were erected thereon, and further, that all poles and fixtures as aforesaid shall be placed wherever practicable on alleys, and the location of said poles and conduits shall be made under the direction and supervision of the Street Committee of the Council of the Borough aforesaid.

SECTION 3. That all poles erected under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be reasonably straight, painted and kept painted, and that no cross arms for the suspension of wires or cables shall be placed at a less distance than forty feet from the grade of the street on Allegheny and Union Streets, unless by permission of said Council.

SECTION 4. The said Unionville Electric Company shall be governed by all legal ordinances of a general nature now in force or that may hereinafter be enacted.

SECTION 5. The said Unionville Electric Company shall commence work within one (1) year and complete the erection of their plant in the Borough of Unionville within two (2) years from the date of this Ordinance, otherwise this Ordinance becomes null and void and of no effect.

SECTION 6. The said Unionville Electric Company shall be liable for all damages by reason of erecting, operating and maintaining its plant in the Borough of Unionville, Pennsylvania.

SECTION 7. The said Unionville Electric Company shall, within thirty days after the passage and approval of this ordinance, file with the Secretary of Council its certificate of acceptance of all the terms, conditions and provisions of this ordinance, and that the said Company shall pay the expenses incident to the passage and publication thereof.

SECTION 8. That any ordinance or part of ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same conflicts with this ordinance.

SECTION 9. The said Unionville Electric Company shall pay a pole tax of twenty (20) cents per pole per year to the Borough of Unionville, and the said Borough shall have the privilege free of charge to erect wires for fire and police purposes on the poles of the said Unionville Electric Company.

ORDAINED AND ENACTED into a law this Eighth day of June A. D. 1912.

(SEAL)

E. J. WILLIAMS, Sec'y, of Council. D. BUCK, Pres. of Council, Pro. Tem.

APPROVED this 12th, day of August A. D. 1912.

H. E. HOLTZWORTH, Burgess.

Fleming, Pa., August, 12th 1912.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of an ordinance passed by the Council of the Borough of Unionville, Centre County, Pennsylvania on June 8th, A. D. 1912, and approved by the Burgess of the said Borough on August 12th A. D. 1912, granting the Unionville Electric Company certain rights and privileges in the said Borough.

E. J. WILLIAMS, Secretary of Council.

Dr. C. H. Ilsworth, Dentist, 16 Baldwin St., Rochester, N. Y., says Foley Kidney Pills gave him immediate relief and strengthened him wonderfully. "I have been bothered with weak kidneys and bladder trouble and suffered much pain. Foley Kidney Pills gave me immediate relief and strengthened me wonderfully. I am pleased to recommend their use." C. M. Parrish.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF UNSEATED LANDS.

By virtue of the several Acts of Assembly relative to the sale of Unseated Lands in the County of Centre, for the taxes due and unpaid, the Commissioners will offer the following tracts at public sale at the Court House, at Bellefonte, Pa., Saturday, August 31st, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m. The sale will be adjourned from time to time until all the tracts have been sold. TERMS OF SALE: The purchase price and costs must be paid when the land is stricken off, otherwise it will be put up and sold at an adjourned sale.

Acres	Per.	Warrantee Name	Supposed Owner	Taxes & Costs
		Boggs Twp.		
300		McCoy Frank	F. P. Blair	$ 42 72
		Burnside Twp.		
433	163	Fox Samuel	Kingston Realty Co.	30 85
433	163	Wallace Joseph J.	Kingston Realty Co.	30 85
		Curtin Twp.		
200	120	Carscadden D.	Kingston Realty Co.	31 32
249	31	Godfrey Martha	Max Forgash	29 75
160		Godfrey John	D Paul Fortney	19 44
71		Lane Sarah	A. D. Lucas	9 49
400		Long J. Z.	Wm. C. Heinle	39 55
200		Palmer John	John C. Rowe	21 32
		Gregg Twp.		
178	128	Carson Andrew	E. F. I. Meurer	10 02
110		Mosby Jacob	Linden Hall Lumber Co.	8 96
		Haines Twp.		
359		Antis Henry	Jas. Rothrock	18 78
135		Colwey B. H.	Daniel Engles	8 79
181		Fees Jacob	H. S. Taylor	10 95
228	150	Mosby William	Jas. Rothrock	13 14
		Harris Twp.		
100		Hoffman William	Mrs. F. Tradell	7 62
50		Irwin John	Julius H. Seymore	5 59
		Howard Twp.		
104	63	Brady John	John C. Rowe	11 74
104	65	Brady John	Marion Rogers	15 57
415		Godfrey Martha	Wm. C. Heinle	37 15
25		Greysburg Joseph	Wm. C. Heinle	5 61
415		Godfrey Martha	Max Forgash	37 61
		Huston Twp.		
433	163	Price John	Harris & Gray	77 08
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Wm. H. NOLL, Jr.,
D. A. GROVE,
JACOB WOODRING,
Commissioners.

Attest: H. N. Meyer,
Commissioners' Office, Bellefonte, Pa., July 30, 1912.

"The Wolf."

Eugene Walter's famous play "The Wolf" which will be seen at Garman's Opera House, Friday evening, August 30, had its first New York production at the Bijou—then followed an extended run at Lyric Theatre. It tells a story of a girl who was deceived, and sent to her death in the Canadian Hudson Bay country. Her half brother seeks the man and finds him attempting to lure another girl to ruin. It happens that the half brother loves this girl, so he takes her away, but the villain and their meeting is the most effective incident of the play. The two men meet in the dark and fight for life and for the possession of the girl. The audience simply hears the two men as they toss and struggle. Finally there is a moan and the listeners know that death has come to one of them—but which one? The moon creeps up, and the victor strikes a match and holds it above the victim's face. The right man has been victorious, and the play has a happy ending. It is a most wonderful play.

D. C. Bybee, teaming contractor living at 669 Keeling Court, Canton, Ill., is now well rid of a severe and annoying case of kidney trouble. His back pained and he was bothered with headaches and dizzy spells. "I took Foley Kidney Pills just as directed and in a few days I felt much better. My life and strength seemed to come back, and I sleep well. I am now all over my trouble and glad to recommend Foley Kidney Pills." Try them. C. M. Parrish.

Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the members of the Bellefonte Hospital will be held at the Bellefonte Hospital on Friday, Aug. 30th, 1912, at 4 o'clock, P. M., for the election of ten members of the Board of Directors of the Bellefonte Hospital, to fill vacancies, as follows: One member whose term will expire in 1915 and nine members whose terms will expire in 1916; also to pass upon all matters that may properly come before the said meeting and particularly upon a proposed amendment to the Charter and By-Laws of the said corporation, by striking out from Article V of the said charter the words, "of whom at least five shall be members of the Centre County Medical Society," so that said Article as amended would read as follows:

"Article V.—The business and government of this corporation shall be directed by a board of fifteen members and the board of Managers shall annually elect from their number a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer."

By order of the Board of Directors,
H. E. FENLON,
Secretary.

S. M. BELL SUICIDE

Boalsburg Merchant Takes Life With Revolver, Due to Despondency.

S. M. Bell, a well known merchant at Boalsburg, shot and killed himself on Thursday of last week. His rash act is attributed to despondency.

Mr. Bell was about town during Thursday morning and nobody suspected that he had any notion of killing himself. Returning to his home he proceeded to his bedroom where he picked up a 38-calibre revolver and shot himself through the head. He died about one hour later.

Deceased had been a resident of Boalsburg for about 25 years. He was twice married, his second marriage taking place several months ago. He was aged about 57 years and was held in high esteem in his home community.

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Origin of the New York Yacht Club.

Shortly after the Revolution Colonel Stevens purchased Hoboken, which was then an island of swamps and rocky hills, and established the family on Castle point, a beautiful promontory overlooking the Hudson and New York city. John C. Stevens, the father of American yachting, was born there in 1785. There were no ferries in those days, and the Stevens boys of necessity became expert boatmen. At fourteen John C. owned a sailboat of twenty feet length named Diver. As the years passed by he had the schooner Gimcrack built for him by William Capes in Hoboken. This boat is one of the most historic craft of American yachting, since she was the cradle of the New York Yacht club, the organization being accomplished in her cabin only July 30, 1844, the year in which so many of the world's greatest achievements occurred. On that day John C. Stevens called a meeting of yachtsmen, which assembled aboard the Gimcrack, anchored off the Battery, New York, and here the constitution of the New York Yacht club was drawn up.—Strand Magazine.

Anagrams.

The anagram, or transposition of the letters in words or sentences, was much in vogue in Greece in the olden times. The Cabalists, or Jewish doctors, thought that the anagram always pointed out a man's destiny, and if his name written backward or transposed in any way spelled a word with meaning they firmly believed it a revelation. The flatterers of James I. of England proved his right to the British monarchy as the descendant of the mythical King Arthur from his name, Charles James Stuart, which becomes "claims Arthur's seat." The best anagrams are those which have in the new order of letters some signification appropriate to that from which they were formed. When Pilate asked "Quid est veritas?" (What is truth?) he probably had no idea that his question answered itself, but it did. The transposition made it, "Est vir qui adest" (It is the man who is here). Anagrams were written as early as 250 B. C., and their name comes from the Greek words ana (backward) and gramma (writing).

Duels Over Trivialities.

The trivialities which led to duels in the old days were almost infinite. John Ashton mentions some of them in noting that by William IV.'s time public opinion was setting against the practice. "Colonel Montgomery was shot in a duel about a dog, Captain Ramsay in one about a servant, Mr. Fetherston in one about a recruit. Sterne's father in one about a goose and some one else about an 'acre of anchovies' instead of 'artichokes.' One officer was challenged for merely asking his opponent to have another glass, and another was compelled to fight about a pinch of snuff, while General Barry was challenged by a Captain Smith for declining a glass of wine with him at dinner on a steamboat, although the general had pleaded in excuse that wine invariably made him sick at sea."—London Chronicle.

Solving the Old Problem.

When Sir Thomas Lipton was a small boy in Scotland he dropped into a church one Sunday morning and was put by himself in a pew directly in front of the minister, who preached a sermon on the text "Am I my brother's keeper?"

The parson, who was unusually eloquent, talked on this theme for about forty minutes and finally worked up to the climax of his remarks. He kept his gaze fixed directly on the little Lipton, who began to fidget and look very self conscious. At last, after an overwhelming outpouring of long words, the minister, his eyes blazing, made a quick gesture and shouted at the boy:

"Am I my brother's keeper?"

Lipton could stand the strain no longer, and replied in a meek voice:

"No, sir."—Popular Magazine.

The Gallows Plant.

During the middle ages the botanists, or old "herbalists," gave currency to many curious stories concerning the growth, form, etc., of the mandrake or May apple, which finally resulted in its being given the name of "gallows plant." The pseudo scientists of that time declared that mandrakes would grow in no other place except upon which some terrible crime had been committed. The roots were formerly supposed to bear a strong resemblance to the human form.

Moistened Her Feelings.

A little girl was playing at the table with her cup of water. Her father took the cup from her and in so doing accidentally spilled some of the water on her.

"There!" she cried as she left the table indignantly. "You wet me clear to my feelings."—Everybody's.

A Cautious Girl.

"Would you die for me?" she murmured.

"Gladly, darling," he answered.

"And would there," she continued softly, "be anything left for me after the undertaker's bill was paid?"—Bachelor's Casket.

Object Achieved.

Nell—Mrs. Dash used to say she wouldn't marry the best man living. Belle—Well, she has the satisfaction of knowing that she didn't.

Allies of Science.

Knicker—Think we shall ever talk to Mars? Bocker—No; if it was possible my wife would never have overlooked it.—New York Sun.

The art of a nation has its root in the national character.—H. Taine.

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Turn out next week and boost the Centre County fair. One way to kill off the fair is to enlist as a knocker and thereby qualify for the crowd who stand about and say that we never have anything at home in the way of attractions.

The "Centre Democrat" straddles all over the question of the Democratic State platform declaring against appropriations for such worthy institutions as the Bellefonte hospital. If the "Centre Democrat" is in favor of such appropriations it is not in accord with the Democratic platform, as drafted by Messrs. Guthrie, McCormick, Palmer, et al. If Boss Kurtz is not in accord with his party's platform the courageous thing to do would be to come out into the open and admit that the new Democratic State bosses have made a sorry mess of their first chance to show what they can do. "The Republican" is in favor of State appropriations for the Bellefonte and Philipsburg hospitals. Is the "Centre Democrat?"

Doesn't it make one dizzy to read about the fabulous sums spent in campaigns by all parties? In these days of washing the linen of both Republican and Democratic parties little sums like $100,000 are hardly a drop in the bucket. Colonel Roosevelt expresses surprise that such large sums were spent to elect him President. The surprising thing about his surprise is that he discovered it only after and not before he was elected. Keeping in mind the fact that Colonel Roosevelt has had a practical experience in politics covering a period of thirty years or more it does seem surprising that he went through two national campaigns as a candidate with such a child-like innocence as to what it cost to elect him. Had he innocently discovered it before being elected he would no doubt have written a letter protesting against it, said letter to be filed and made a matter of record for future reference.

A BLESSING.

Congress adjourned on Monday. Thank God. A pity it is that adjournment was not effected several months ago. With Congress keeping the country in a continuous state of agitation and unrest and with politicians plying their trade by day and by night the business world has been shoved into the background and the things really worth while have been made to suffer.

The session of Congress just ended did much to strengthen the belief in the minds of many that the game at Washington is one of politics, pure and simple. The House, which was under Democratic control, played politics to a seething finish. It was an open-and-shut scheme to manufacture ammunition for Democratic use during the presidential campaign. Speaker Champ Clark unblushingly confessed to this when some weeks ago he asked Governor Wilson to advise the House what legislation he deemed advisable "or expedient." In other words, what legislation would come in handy as Democratic campaign material from now until November. The proposition was so raw that once public attention was centered upon it Governor Wilson hastily sidestepped.

The closing days of the session witnessed the party leaders engaged in a battle to destroy one another—once more a game of politics. There was apparently no thought for consideration for the interests of the business man at home. Congress was having its inning. Business had to take a back seat. Now business is to have its inning, and it goes without saying that it will be an inning of more use and benefit to the public at large. At last, Congress has shut up shop and gone home. What a blessing!

Fate of Alcibiades.

The brilliant, witty and dissolute Alcibiades had one of the most extensive experiences in exile that ever fell to the lot of man. While in command of the Sicilian army he was recalled to stand trial for the destruction of the busts of Hermes, an outrage that had taken place just before his departure. Knowing that his death had been determined on, he escaped to Sparta, where, by adopting the manners of the people, in strange contrast to his former style of luxury, he became immensely popular. He engaged in military operations against the Athenians and succeeded so well as to excite the envy of the Spartan leaders, who expelled him, whereupon he went to Persia and lived there with a magnificence that astonished the Persians themselves. He was recalled to Athens with the same capriciousness that marked his ostracism and was appointed commander in chief of all the Athenian forces; but, failing in an important expedition, he was again sent into exile and was finally assassinated in Persia.

A Fashion That Failed.

Charles II. attempted to put down the mutability of fashion—in masculine costume. On Oct. 6, 1666, as Pepys records, the king declared in council "his resolution of setting a fashion in clothes, which he will never alter. It will be a vest. I know not just how, but it is to teach the nobility thrift and will do good." Six days later Pepys sees the Duke of York try on the new "vest," which is again declared to be like the laws of the Medes and Persians. It was "a long cassock close to the body, of black cloth and pinked with white silk under it, and a coat over it, and the legs ruffled with black ribbon like a pigeon's leg." But Louis XIV. maliciously dressed all his footmen in this costume, and so did French noblemen, with the result that the English court very soon discarded the "unalterable" costume.

Opaque Windows.

The building contractor let loose some of his most emphatic phrases when he found that the man who had been hired to daub whiting all over the windows had not half done the job.

"That man doesn't seem to understand what the windows in a half finished building are whitened for," he said. "We don't plaster them over with chalk to prevent the public from seeing the unfinished condition of the interior, but to keep the workmen from battering out the glass. Transparent glass looks just about as transparent as air to the man who is moving a wooden or iron beam in a hurry, and he is likely to ram the end of it through an expensive window, but when the glass is coated with white it becomes visible, and the workmen hand their material in through the door."—New York Times.

A Dandy in Fiji.

The styles in Fiji may not concern us deeply, and of course we may not copy any of them except in a swimming tank. Still, they have styles. A returning traveler, interviewed in London, says the prevailing mode is two yards of blue jeans combined with a chintz pattern—this for the men. The real pacemakers among the women wear silk pinafores "in town" (meaning Suva), whereas in the country there is no silk and possibly no pinafore.

The beach is the promenade in the Polynesian islands, and there the traveler found the Fijian Berry Wall. He wore trousers and boots, a collar (but no shirt) and a top hat. Naturally, on account of the topper, the observation was made late in the day.—Chicago Post.

A Good Eater.

When Gustavus of Sweden was besieging Prague a boor of extraordinary aspect gained admittance to his tent and offered, by way of amusing his majesty, to devour a large hog in his presence. Old General Konigsmarck, who was in attendance, at once suggested that the man with the Gargantuan appetite should be burned as a witch, whereupon the boor, whose feelings were hurt by this observation, exclaimed, "If your majesty will but make that old gentleman take off his sword and spurs I will eat him before I begin the pig." This was accompanied by such a "hideous expansion of the jaws and mouth" that the general, though he had given his "proofs" on many a field, turned pale and fled incontinently to his tent.

An Odd Moorish Custom.

As a people the Moors are already well inclined to anything that gilds life. A correspondent says: "Nothing delights them more as a means of agreeably spending an hour or two than squatting on their heels in the streets or on some door stoop, gazing at the passersby, exchanging compliments with their acquaintances. Native 'swells' consequently promenade with a piece of felt under their arms, on which to sit when they wish."

Browning.

Browning had completed a whole volume of verse by the time he was twelve, but his earliest artistic effort was a painting of a cottage and rocks, which he painted at the age of two in lead pencil and black currant jam juice.

Plenty of Reason.

"I don't see why that tune haunts me constantly," complained a dull man who was always humming.

"Because you are forever murdering it!" came the quick reply from Foote.

Ignorance is a blank sheet on which we may write, but error is a scribbled one from which we must erase.

Correspondence.

Julian.

Rev. Mr. Taylor and wife, of Altoona, were guests of W. P. Parsons this week.

V. G. Henderson, freight agent at Woodward, Pa., spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Miss Lutz, of Filmore, is spending a few days with her uncle, F. W. Dillen.

We are very sorry to note the serious illness of Miss Minnie Gill at this time.

Mrs. Irvin Craig, of Johnstown, Pa., is spending a couple of weeks as the guest of Miss Tryphena Tallhelm.

John Tallhelm, who has been visiting his uncle, Rev. J. F. Anderson, at Milton, returned home on Monday.

Reuben Alexander has been appointed Rural Mail Carrier, vice F. W. Dillen resigned.

Miss Eva Davis is spending a couple weeks visiting in Williamsport, at the home of George W. Parsons.

Miss Edna Rodgers, of Runville, is spending a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. P. W. Swope.

There will be preaching in the M. E. church next Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Gilbert.

The new side track is now under way at the Tower and about twenty-five men are employed. The new bridge is under way and part of the track laid. When finished the Tower will be moved to a point just opposite Harris Harbridge's house, making it so the operator will have full view both east and west.

One of the Salvation Army workers was canvassing our town on Monday for aid in their work at Bellefonte. This is a worthy work and should be patronized. They are doing a great work and among the class that needs it most. When a man is down and out and needs coal and food a silent prayer in one of our grand churches will not help him out. But these people go and see that they are relieved.

Will be Fastest Dreadnought.

Uncle Sam's great battleship, just authorized by Congress, and which will be christened the Pennsylvania in honor of the Keystone state, will not only be most heavily armored and armed battleships afloat, but the fleetest ship in her class, according to an announcement from the Navy Department. While the department does not intend to adopt the battleship-cruiser idea of sacrificing the thickness of the Pennsylvania's armor in order to obtain speed, the tentative plan will call for a faster ship than any of the heavily armored super-dreadnaughts.

It is possible that a speed of 25 knots an hour may be attained by the new ship. This is to be brought about by the increase in the length and draft of the Pennsylvania when compared with the battleships now under construction. The Pennsylvania will be, according to the announcement of Secretary Meyer, 630 feet in length, or 55 feet longer than the Oklahoma and Nevada, the largest warships now under construction. The 16-inch armor plate to be used will extend over a larger portion of her hull than the plans of the Oklahoma and Nevada call for. She also will have additional protection below the water line, but there will be nothing like the increase in weight of the armor plate carried that would be called for if the plans of the Oklahoma class were followed.

There are at present only three docks in existance that would be able to accommodate the Pennsylvania. They are No. 4 at New York, No. 3 at Norfolk and No. at Puget Sound.

Hospital Notes.

Operations—Effie Souers, aged 7 years; Bellefonte; Orvis P. Weaver, Centre Hall; Mrs. Sara Houser, State College.

Admitted for treatment—Miss Minnie Gill, Julian; Mrs. Mary Libbens, Catherine Anderson, aged 8 years, Thaddeus Cross, Henry Bidwell, Bellefonte.

31 patients now in the hospital.

Miss Mary Brake, nurse, on vacation at her home at St. Thomas.

Water Motor For Sale.

A Backus Water Motor for sale at this office. Is 33 inches in diameter and is in first-class condition. Can be seen in operation at any time. Call or inquire at "The Republican" office, Bellefonte

Diphtheria at Tyrone.

There are five cases of diphtheria among children in Tyrone. It is supposed that they contracted the disease from one another.

Lucky Juliet.

Mrs. Knicker—What impressed you most in "Romeo and Juliet." Mrs Subbubs—The fact that Juliet could keep a nurse in what appeared to be the suburbs.—Harper's Bazar.

A Word to the Boys.

A boy should not get the idea that he can score in the game of life through the errors of his opponents. To win he must be able to make hits.—Youth's Companion

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Seeks a Brown Eyed Bride.

Axel Alexander of Union City, Ind., is in Philadelphia this week searching for a bride. He has tried New York and Brooklyn and Jersey City and other towns of the East and is still seeking one to his liking. And this is what he must have:

One not less than 17 or more than 22.

Between 5 feet and 5 feet 5 inches.

Weight not less than 120 or more than 140 pounds.

Must have black or brown eyes.

Blue eyed girls are absolutely barred.

Future home, Union City, Ind.

Future life—Loving wife to prosperous agriculturalist with a snug bank account.

Alexander's relatives in Bristol, Pa., say he is a model youth of 24 years. He is 5 feet 9 inches tall, weighs in the neighborhood of 160 pounds and is a total abstainer. His father owns three large estates near Union City and it is on one of these that his wife will be expected to live.

Just why he bars the maids with blue eyes is not known, but it is intimated by his aunt, with whom he is stopping, that at one time in his life he had an experience with a young woman with azure eyes that left him with a distorted sense of the appreciation of the girls of this type.

The 148th Regiment P. V.

The meeting of the survivors of this Regiment in celebration of the 50th anniversary of the organization promises to be quite an event.

Comrades will meet in the Gregg Post Room, Harris Block, at 10:30 a. m., September 6, 1912, to exchange greetings and transact business. Lunch at 12 o'clock, noon.

Afternoon, 1 to 4 o'clock, enjoy the freedom of the town, visit the grave of the War Governor and soldier's friend.

From 4 to 6 o'clock reception and feed by the Elks at their lodge, the Governor Curtin Mansion on High Street.

Evening at 8 o'clock in the Court House, regular camp fire consisting of war songs and speeches by comrades and others. To this meeting the public is cordially invited.

Penny-A-Word Column.

WASHING AT HOME—Mrs. Fannie Pendelton, Penn Street, Bellefonte, Pa.

WANTED—White pine wood. Write or inquire of P. B. Crider & Son, Bellefonte, Pa.,

FOR SALE—Good rubber-tire top buggy; in first class condition; is almost new. Inquire of Dr. E. S. Dorworth, Bellefonte, Pa.

FOR SALE—Nice ten room house; about two acres; good small orchard; one-fourth mile from Howard. Address C. M. MUFFLY, Howard, Pa.

FOUND—A bunch of keys tied by a narrow strap was found on Howard Street. Owner may recover same by calling at this office, identifying property and paying for this notice.

GROCERY FOR SALE—An established grocery store in Bellefonte is for sale. Prospective purchasers who mean business may learn full particulars by inquiring at or communicating with "The Republican" office.

FOR SALE—Six good horses, range in weight from 1100 to 1400; good for all purposes; farm or team. Inquire of P. H. Clemson, Bell Telephone, Stormstown, Pa. Or D. B. Mattern Commercial Phone, Stormstown, Pa.

CHAUFFEUR—Will be open for position September 1st. Trustworthy, sober, careful driver and repairer. Private family preferred. Any make. Only those in need of permanent man need reply. Will furnish best references. Terms to suit. Address A. A. BERRY, Flemington, Pa., Box 24.

WANTED—A person in every community to take orders for "The Sinking of the Titanic and Great Sea Disasters." Liberal commission. Agents making from $5 to $10 per day. Don't delay. Be first in the field, and you will reap the rich reward. Write today. Address Box 27, Spring Mills, Pa., Centre Co. Both 'Phones, Bell 29-2, Commercial2-3E.

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Corrected by the John Meese store.

Eggs, per dozen	20
Butter, per pound	28

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Wheat, white or mixed	.90
Wheat, red	.95
Corn, shelled (per bu.)	.80
Corn, ears, (per bu.)	.80
Oats, (per bu.)	.60
Rye, (per bu.)	.70
Barley, (per bu.)	.60
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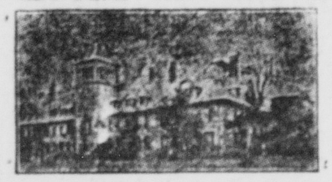

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Real Estate Transfers.

Recorder Francis Speer has recorded the following real estate transfers:

Edward S. Westenhauer et ux, to Earnest E. Demi, tract in Philipsburg; $2750.

D. Chambers et ux, to Clara B. Syperd, tract in Snow Shoe township; $100.

Margaret D. Grieb et baron, to Christena Nutting, tract in State College; $500.

Margaret D. Grieb et baron, to Kate E. Kemmerer, tract in State College; $500.

W. L. Foster et al, to Thomas Foster et al, tract in State College; $150.

J. C. Meyer's exrs, to Rose G. Parrish, tract in Bellefonte; $5000.

John D. Harris et ux, to John Sinclair, tract in Snow Shoe township; $400.

John Sinclair to Edward C. Edwards, tract in Snow Shoe township; $4000.

Hamill Holmes et ux, to John L. Holmes, tract in State College; $3000.

Charles Boyer, Jr., to Daniel W. Bodle, tract in Julian; $25.

J. B. Irish et al, attyns in fact, to Johama Ossa, tract in Rush township; $200.

William Bilger et ux, to Comm. of Penna., tract in Benner township; $726.

John C. Barnes to Comm. of Penn., tract in Benner township; $160.

John M. Musser et ux, to Harry S. Wolf, tract in Haines township; $290.

F. G. Wolf et al, admr, to Harry Wolf, tract in Haines township; $258.

Jefferson Royer et ux, to Jonathan Royer, tract in Marion township; $524.50.

James A. Beaver, trustee et al, to Grant Thomas, tract in Rush township; $75.

N. B. Spangler et ux, to Comm. of Penn., tract in Benner township; $1.

Charles T. Bilger et ux, to Comm. of Penn., tract in Benner township; $753.69.

Caroline Blattenberger to Robert J. Walker, tract in Rush township; $3000.

David Chambers to John Boyce, tract in Snow Shoe township; $140.

Jacob Bower, Jr., admr., to Jacob Stover, tract in Haines township; $14.25.

Jacob Bower, Jr., admr, to Jacob Stover, tract in Haines township; $1225.

Elk Tanning Co. to Jennie E. Harvey, tract in Philipsburg; $1500.

Elk Tanning Co. to Jennie E. Harvey, tract in Philipsburg; $1.

W. S. Funk et ux, to W. J. Butler, tract in Howard township; $325.

Frances A. Leathers admr, to W. J. Butler, tract in Howard township; $300.

Clara Moyer et baron, to Edward Bubb, tract in Potter township; $1300.

Jacob Strohm's heirs et al, to Edward Bubb & Son, tract in Potter township; $626.

The Crops.

Bradstreet's Report says: Crop reports improve as the growing season advances to its normal close. Rain early in the week interfered with cutting and threshing of spring wheat and the threshing and shipping of winter wheat, but improved weather later on made possible a resumption of operations. The quality of the grain in the fields cut has certainly not been improved by the rains, but aside from some lowering of grades in spring wheat and oats, not very much injury has been done. Dry weather from now on will facilitate movement of small grains, and the supply of moisture now in the plant and soil is regarded as sufficient to bring corn to maturity. What is really needed now is warm, dry weather to push growth of corn, and late weather reports indicate this is on the way. Pastures and meadows have been improved by rains, and the outlook for fall feeding of cattle is better than it was.

A total crop of at least 700,000,000 bushels of wheat is predicted with confidence, and threshing results fortify that view. A close to record corn crop is possible if frost holds off till late.

A large area of winter wheat is probable this fall, according to present accounts.

Oklahoma's peach crop promises to be the largest and best in that state's history.

South Dakota reports the largest crop of small grains ever harvested in that state.

Wedding at State College.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at State College at noon yesterday, the contracting parties being Miss Florence Penny and Professor R. S. Friday. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's mother, by Rev. Mr. O'Reilley. After a delicious wedding breakfast Professor and Mrs. Friday motored to Bellefonte, from which place they departed on a honeymoon tour to eastern cities. Professor Friday is in charge of the Electrical Engineering Department at State College.

Judge Herring Dead.

Word was received on Monday of the death of former Judge Grant Herring, of Bloomsburg, which occurred in Europe, where he was touring with a son and a daughter. His body will be brought home for interment. At the time of his death he was solicitor for Northumberland County.

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The County at a Glance.

Howard.

Mrs. Kate McKinney is still in a very serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Crider visited relatives in Bellefonte and State College Sunday and Monday.

Anna L. Harvey is visiting friends in Philipsburg this week.

Alice M. Pletcher was a shopping visitor to Bellefonte on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Comerford is entertaining her aunt Mrs. Musser of Pittsburgh.

Samuel Shaffer arrived on Tuesday to take in the Schenck reunion.

Miss Harriet Woodward is visiting relatives this week in Williamsport.

William B. Pletcher and family shopped in Lock Haven on Saturday.

Mrs. S. S. Williams and children, of Blanchard, and Mrs. Harry Williams, of Altoona, were week end visitors at the home of of I. R. Williams.

Miss Zelma Sullenberger was a business visitor in Bellefonte on Saturday last.

Howard Robb, who has been attending school at Lancaster, is visiting here this week.

Mrs. Robert Holter and son, William, of Rochester, N. Y., are visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marius Miner.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Holter and two daughters, Margaret and Marion, of Johnsonburg, are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Margaret DeHaas departed on Sunday for New Jersey, where she has secured a school.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bennett, of Mill Hall, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Butler.

Steward Hannon, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Hannon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Loder, of Pittsburgh, are visiting this week among relatives in and around Howard.

Misses Alice and Jennie Keagle, of State College, visited their grandmother, Mrs. Kate Bechdel over Sunday.

Miss Jennie Holter, of Williamsport, is visiting this week at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Kane.

Mrs. Cleavor, of Reading, State President of the P. A. of A., Mrs. Dorman and Mrs. Hendricks, of Flemington, were visitors at the local order of P. A. of A. meeting on Monday night.

Dorothy Weber and Myrtle Pletcher spent a few days with Rev. R. S. Taylor and fsmily at Charlton.

Mrs. Ragina Meese Rutherford, of Zanesville, O., arrived in Howard, Monday evening for a visit with her sister Mrs. H. S. Pletcher.

Lulu Schenck returned home Monday from Spring Mills, where she had been visiting her friend Mable Long.

Jackson Kline left on Wednesday evening of last week for Cleveland, Ohio, where he visited for a week.

Harold Schenck and Harry Muffly are spending a week in Atlantic City, having left for that place on Wednesday of last week.

Homer Yearick attended the teachers' meeting at the Court House in Bellefonte on Saturday.

J. F. Condo and wife, Mrs. McCalhon, and Mrs. Wyble, attended the funeral of Mrs O. W. Brickley at Lock Haven on Saturday.

Mrs. Fannie Schenck and children, came home from Clearfield, on Friday to visit the home folks, W. R. Schenck's.

Prof. Samuel Robb and wife of Grove City, visited friends here last week. They departed today for Eldred, where Mr. Robb will teach school this winter.

Mrs. Sarah Lucas Sickleco and son, of Silver Creek, N. Y., came home Thursday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Lucas.

Weber Thomas left Sunday for his home in Camden. His wife, baby and mother will visit friends here for a week or two.

Blanchard.

Miss Annie Hayes, of Dewart, visited several days last week with Mrs. James A. Quigley.

Miss Frontz, who visited for several days with Miss Blanche Kunes, has returned to her home in Williamsport.

Mrs. James Clark, of Bellefonte, visited several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lingle, in Beech Creek.

A new cider press has been installed on the Welsh farm, on the road to Mill Hall, and now occupied by Lester Corman.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lucas, of Camden, N. J., and Miss McCurdy, of Jersey Shore, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Stull.

Henry C. Quigley, of Bellefonte, visited over Sunday at his parental home here.

Samuel M. Robb, who will this winter teach at Eldred, greeted his numerous friends in this section during the week.

Mrs. Wynn and children, of Altoona, are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Gunsallus.

The stork has been quite liberal in this section lately. There is a ten-pound boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtin Bechdel. Samuel Henderson Glossner is the name of a little son born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Glossner. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scott are also rejoicing over the arrival of a son.

Death at Loganton.

Mrs. Mary Parker, one of the oldest residents of Sugar valley, died early yesterday morning at Loganton. She was 84 years old.

Pine Grove Mills.

The Ferguson township schools open September 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hess spent Sunday at the McWilliams home at Fairbrook.

Mrs. Mary Dale and son, Raymond, and little Virginia spent Sunday among friends at Fairbrook.

The Sunday thresher is at a standstill on account of a breakdown at Milo Campbell's barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shaffer autoed up from Bellefonte and spent Sunday at the E. W. Hess home at Shingletown.

George Conley, of Johnstown, is a visitor at the Bainey home and is much pleased with the beautiful valley of Spruce Creek.

A. Lincoln Ishler, of Ohio, is visiting the home of his boyhood days down Penns valley. Mr. Ishler is a conductor on one of the Buckeye State railroads and is making good.

Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Gates and two sons, Henry and Wallace, came over from WarriorsMark and spent the Sabbath at the D. Bainey home, a most hospitable place to stop for a square meal.

Rev. S. J. Pittinger and wife were called to Frederick County, Maryland, last Thursday to the bedside of Mrs. Pittinger's mother, who for the third time has been stricken with paralysis. With her advanced years her recovery is doubtful. Mr. Pittinger returned home early Sunday morning and filled his regular appointments as usual.

R. M. Foster and wife and daughter are spending a week with Mr. Foster's brother, who is recuperating his shattered health. Robert did not forget the fiftieth anniversary of his father's old Company at Rebersburg on Saturday. Although he could not be there in person he sent an auto to convey a squad of old veterans, the writer being one of them. For the trick Robert can consider our kady doffed with thanks.

August 24th, 1862—August 24th, 1912. The fiftieth anniversary of Company A, 148th Penna. Vol. Inf., was held at Hustontown, Rebersburg, on last Saturday, and the day proved to be one that will long be remembered. The day dawned clear and bright and with all roads leading to the quaint and pretty old town. The early arrival of vehicles caused a stir in the town and the streets soon became thronged with visitors who were present to view and greet the survivors of old Company A, only 15 of the original 94 answering the roll just where they stood fifty years ago when Lieutenant Fetterman, of the regular army, administered the oath. From there they marched to the large green, repeating the act of half a century ago. There a sumptous dinner was served, everybody having full and plenty. The decorations were fine. Most of the residences were handsomely decorated with arches and flags were visible from all directions. At 10 a. m. Comrade T. P. Meyer called the roll and the following members answered "here": Lieutenant E. J. Burket, Daniel Weaver, T. P. Meyer, S. R. Gettig, Jacob Breckill, M. Gilbert, George Corman, Henry Meyer, Charles Bierly, N. Boob, J. T. Corman, L. H. Fetterman, James Fullmer, Jessie Long, Samuel Strayer and Moses Gilbert. The veterans of other commands present were L. J. Noll, Co. K, 190th Regt.; T. A. Snyder, Co. D, First Cavalry; A. P. Maize, Co. K, Third Regt, U. S. Inf.; S. Harry, Seventh Cavalry; D. F. Fortney, Co. D, 148th; George Boal, Co. D, 148th; D. W. Miller, Co. G, 148th; H. K. Miller, Co. H, 148th; Amos Garbrick, Co. C, 148th; L. H. Osman, Co. C, 148; C. B. Bomer, Co. H, 148th; B. D. Brisbin, Co. G, 148th; F. F. Wetzel, Co. A, 46th Ill; Joseph Hettinger, Co. I, 47th. Penna. Vols; G. S. Koup, Co. B, 46th Ill; W. H. Musser, Co. E, 45th P. V.; W. H. Fry, Co. E, 45th P. V. The average age of the veterans was 70 years. During and after the dinner hour the old fellows talked over old times and spun war yarns to their hearts' content. Some were there who had come from the far west and who had not been back since the war. Since that time many of their old friends have passed away. At 1.30 the afternoon exercises were begun. Hon. Henry Meyer called for order. Copies of a specially prepared song, entitled "The Boys of Company A," by Dr. Alfred Bierly, one of three brothers, and dedicated to the survivors of Co. A, 148th for the occesion, were distributed, and with Mrs. Corman presiding at the organ everybody joined in singing the patriotic air until the woods echoed and re-echoed the inspiring strains. Col. H. S. Taylor, Judge Ellis L. Orvis, Clement Dale, Dr. Meyer and Colonel Fortney spoke in glowing terms of the heroic deeds of valor of the boys who donned the blue. The parade was composed of the old veterans and visiting G. A. R. men, Bierly post No. 298, Major Foster Camp No. 110 Sons of Veterans, Odd Fellows in full regalia, also the school children proudly waving flags. The imposing spectacle was cheered all along the route of march. It was indeed a gala day for Brush valley. The old green was never before so thronged with good, patriotic folks and never before was there so much to eat and everything representing the choicest the market could afford. But how it all was different from a half century ago, when all Brush valley turned out to say farewell on that dreadful morning that tried men's souls, that day when fathers and mothers, brothers and sisters, husbands and wives and sweethearts had to part, probably never to meet again. Now, with a half century gone, the little band of survivors of the famous old Co. A, got a welcome that was royal in its warmth and sincerity. Hon. Henry Meyer was the moving spirit that brought about the happy occasion. The survivors were photographed in a group. The home band and also the Millheim band furnished splendid music. Captain Robert M. Foster's company consisted of 94 men. Later eight volunteer recruits and thirty-two conscripts were added to the roll. Of the orininal list 71 have answered to the final roll call. Dr. T. B. Meyer acted as orderly sergeant, and in calling the roll he vividly recalled some of the camp scenes and reminiscenses of how rich bounty was secured. Clement Dale read a letter written by his brother, Solomon, on the battle field on May 4th, 1864, which recalled the horrors of war. All in all it was a fitting and pleasing success, and while in the natural course of events the little group of survivors of Company A, will not live to see many more reunions, the hope of the writer is that so long as they live may their pathway be strewn with roses and may their days be filled with comfort and happiness. Colonel James A. Beaver was hopeful to the last that he would be present, but illness necessitated his remaining at home. The survivors of Company A, adopted the following resolutions.

"RESOLVED—That the Survivors of Company A, of 148th P. V. met in celebration of the 50th Anniversary of their being sworn into the service of the United States with profound sorrow, learn of the inability, by reason of illness, of their dearly loved and much admired Colonel, James A. Beaver, to be present and take part in the ceremonies of the day. They moreover hope and pray that it will be the pleasure of his and our Heavenly Father in the plentitude of his mercies to restore our ever brave and heroic commander to health and strength to his family, friends, and comrades, and extend to him our love and sympathy in his affliction."

RESOLVED—That the officers of the Association of the Company transmit a copy of this resolution to the Colonel of the Regiment.

HENRY MEYER,
President.

General E. V. Sumner Dead.

Brigadier General E. V. Sumner, U. S. A., retired, died at San Francisco, Cal., last Friday night at the Presidio hospital, aged 77. He was born in Carlisle, Pa.

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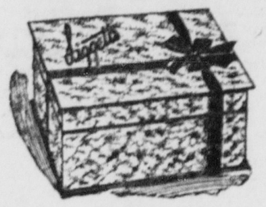

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White for Mourning.

A life-size picture of the late General Booth, the frame of which is trimmed in white, is being displayed in a number of cities. The army believes that the death of a true Christian should mean rejoicing, not sorrow; therefore, the cloth displayed is white, not black.

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Calamity Joe

Afterward Called "Cupid"

By CLARISSA MACKIE

Five men on the Flying V ranch watched the approach of the latest addition to the force. He was riding slowly up the trail, his long legs dragging below the stirrups.

"You can sup on trouble now, boys," declared Hen Morgan.

"How's that?" queried his companions curiously.

"This here gent approaching, him who is to be line rider on the Flying V along with the rest of us, is the champion dispenser of bad luck. Wherever he goes he brings calamity with him."

"I've heard about him, then. Ain't his name Joe Bliss?" asked Pete Willis.

"Yes. They call him 'Calamity Joe' because of the sure woe that camps on his trail perpetual," answered Morgan.

They sat about the door of the mess house and watched the shambling forms of horse and rider approach them.

Presently the horse scuffled to a standstill, and Mr. Joe Bliss threw a long leg over the saddle and stepped to the ground.

"Howdy, 'gents?" he said, looking gloomily down at them.

"Howdy, Joe?" said Morgan sadly. "Let me interjooce my feller sufferers!" and he gravely mentioned the names of his companions, who all exchanged nods and muttered "howdys" with the newcomer.

"What happened over to Flamm's?" asked Morgan as Bliss sat down and rolled a cigarette.

"Measles," replied Bliss stolcally. "I never had 'em in my life, but old Flamm seemed to be afraid I'd catch 'em, so he fired me. I'd only been there a week."

The next morning they rode forth together, Joe Bliss ahead and the five following in a broken line.

"Seems to enjoy his bad reputashun," remarked Morgan to Freeman.

"Quite some! I been looking for measle spots all the morning," returned Freeman.

"It won't be measles this time. He changes his calamity every time he changes a job. We'll get something else as sure as eggs is eggs," muttered Morgan.

"If he plants any calamity on this here outfit he'll sure get his," declared Freeman violently, and somehow Joe Bliss heard the words.

"I got ter do something to get rid of that reputation," he admitted to himself and thereupon thought long upon the matter.

And it bore startling results. It took some time to accomplish, but the nature of Calamity Joe's vindication of his ill name will go down in the history of Poorgrass county.

Several weeks passed without anything unfortunate occurring to bear up the evil reputation of the new man. Then one day Joe Bliss received leave of absence and was gone all the morning. At noon as his fellow riders were eating lunch on the fringe of the scattered herd of cattle Joe rode hastily up to Morgan.

"Gents," he said excitedly, "there's some ladies in distress yonder in Salt canyon. Picnic ladies they are, and some yaller minded individual has stampeded their horses. What's them delicate females goin' to do?"

"Huh!" ejaculated Morgan. "Where they from?"

"They say they are salesladies from Finklestein's dry goods emporium in Eagle City."

"What they picnicking so far from home for?" demanded Freeman.

"Skeered—plumb skeered for fear old Finklestein will change his mind and call 'em back on the job. Why, them girls is so upsot about how they're going to get back to Eagle City that they can't enjoy their lunch nohow," exclaimed Calamity Joe.

"Finklestein's, in Eagle City?" queried Smith suddenly. "Why, that's where I bought this here handkerchief. She was a queen, that girl was!"

"Was she a blond?" asked Jepson eagerly. "I remember a peach of a blond in Finklestein's, who"—

"Nary blond," was Freeman's emphatic reply. "She was a dark eyed queen! I'll go over, Morgan, and help my lady friend out of trouble."

"Huh! You don't even know her name!" snorted Morgan contemptuously. "I guess I'll move along over there myself. I bought a shirt in Finklestein's last week, and I want to ask the red haired lady I got it from if it's a fast color." His handsome face flushed defiantly.

"Mebbe there ain't a red haired lady to the picnic," said Smith disagreeably.

"She's there!" interpolated Joe Bliss hastily. "Mebbe all you gents could ride over to the canyon and rescue them dames. I ain't much on ladies' company, and so I'll jest look out for the critters."

The five other men consulted together, and finally all rode off in the direction of Salt canyon. Meantime Joe, the harbinger of calamity, stuck to his job and manfully did the work of six herders that sunshiny day.

"That combination ought to break up that there evil reputashun I've got," he grinned as he rode back and forth.

The five men rode single file through the narrow entrance to Salt canyon, and once within its confines a pleasing sight rewarded their coming.

Around a campfire were seated half a dozen girls. Most of them were pretty, and all were attractive. The queenly brunette and the "peachy" blond and the red haired damsel all were there, as well as three others.

All of them sprang up from the picnic feast around which they were gathered and viewed with alarm the approach of the cattlemen.

Morgan was in advance, and, whipping off his hat with a graceful sweep, he addressed the red haired divinity.

"Excuse me, miss, but we are the rescue party," he said pleasantly.

"What you going to rescue?" demanded the red haired one imperiously, while the others drew close together and giggled.

"We was informed that some yallow hearted varmint had stampeded your horses," said Morgan calmly.

"Yes," said the imperious one stiffly. "It's all true, but we don't need any rescuing. We're going to get home all right."

"How?"

"Walk," she returned calmly. "Any objection?"

"Yes, ma'am," said Morgan emphatically. "We don't let ladies walk twenty miles when they're out for a holiday time—not in Poregrass county."

"I'm sure they're very kind, Mabel," spoke up one of the other girls.

"You know, we were saying just before they came that we didn't know how we were going to get home," added the queenly brunette, with a flashing smile at Freeman.

"I suppose it is well meant, and we are obliged," said the spokeswoman suddenly. "Perhaps you gentlemen can tell us how to get our horses back. They belong to Dan Perry, the liveryman at Eagle City."

In response to these amenities on the part of the red haired damsel the five rescuers slipped from their horses and awkwardly submitted to Morgan's elaborate ceremony of introduction to six ladies whose names were unknown to any of the cattlemen.

In their guise of members of a rescue party they were invited to partake of the lunch and having done so entered into serious consultation as to the best methods of discovering the miscreant who had run off the horses or stampeded them and also the all important question of how Finklestein's salesladies were to be returned to Eagle City that evening.

At last the unfortunate picnickers consented gracefully to submit to the better judgment of the men, and it was agreed that each lady should ride one of the Flying V horses and that its owner should walk beside the horse so as to ride it back when their deed of chivalry should have been accomplished.

Of course all this required much discussion in general and then in tete-a-tetes, where names were exchanged and there was much merry badinage as past purchases of "gents furnishings" at Finklestein's emporium were recalled.

It was Smith who scouted around and found one of the missing ponies grazing out on the plain. He quickly mounted his own horse and caught the animal, and in this way there was provided a mount for the sixth lady, who was suffering from the toothache and cared little whether she was furnished with an attendant cavalier or not.

It was she who hurried them homeward at sunset, when her companions had decided to ride back to Eagle City in the moonlight.

They formed a procession as they set forth on the twenty mile journey to Eagle City. The toothache lady led the way, and the others straggled after with a man at every horse's bridle. This was, of course, necessary, because never had there been collected together such a number of vicious, ill tempered brutes as the horses that belonged to Messrs. Morgan, Freeman, Smith, Jepson and Pete Willis, and the fair riders appeared timid.

At dawn the five weary cattlemen rode slowly into the camp. Calamity Joe was on watch and without a word handed cups of hot coffee to his friends.

"You gents are some heroes," he ventured, breaking into their reveries of tender looks exchanged and engagements promised for Wednesday evening to come, for the Flying V men were bachelors all.

"I reckon so," said Freeman absently. He was wondering if he could earn enough to support a certain blond beauty in case she would marry him.

Morgan suddenly looked up and caught Calamity Joe's attention with a sharp glance.

"Who do you reckon run off them hosses?" he asked.

"I dunno!" declared Joe.

"You was seen doing it and might as well own up," shrewdly said Morgan.

Then Calamity Joe confessed his duplicity. He told how he had waited his opportunity and, hearing about the proposed picnic of Finklestein's clerks, had himself stampeded their horses and thus created a situation whereby his comrades could rescue the fair damsels and at the same time make their acquaintance.

In the guise of a matchmaker Calamity Joe had hoped to hide his unfortunate reputation.

And he did, for ever after they called him "Cupid," and he was obliged to officiate as best man at so many weddings that he almost regretted the step he had taken.

After all, the foreman of the Flying V declared that Joe had brought calamity in his wake, for five of his best men married within a year and started ranches of their own.

But he retained Joe Bliss because there were no signs of his getting married and straying off.

Heinecken, the German Prodigy.

Christian Henry Heinecken, the most wonderful of all the world's precocious prodigies, was born at Lubeck, Germany, in the year 1721. When but nine and a half months of age this human wonder could pronounce every word contained in the German language, and before he had rounded out his first year of earthly existence he knew all the leading events of the world's history. At the age of fourteen months he could give chapter and verse of any quoted passage of the Scriptures and knew the history of every book in both the Old and New Testaments. At the age of two and a half years he could answer every question in the geographies and histories then in use and could converse with visitors in either German, French, Dutch, Latin or Greek. His fourth year was devoted to the study of religion and ancient history. He had finished the studies mentioned and had started on a course in oriental religion when he suddenly died before completing his fourth year.

Instinct In Birds.

In the stormy part of the year a steamer encountered rough weather, and, as often happens at such times, many sea gulls hovered near the ship and even came on board. One allowed itself to be caught, and it was found that it had a fish bone stuck in the eye in such a position as not absolutely to destroy the sight, but penetrating an inch into the flesh of the bird and projecting an inch and a half. It might have had a fight with a fish or got transfixed seeking its prey. The doctor of the ship took the bird, extracted the bone, applied a soothing remedy to the wound and let it go. It flew away, but returned the next day, allowing itself to be caught. The doctor examined the wound, which was progressing favorably, applied more of the remedy and let the bird go a second time. It flew several times around the ship and then departed and returned no more.—London Sketch.

G. A. Sala and His Epitaph.

Among some autograph letters and historical documents sold recently were a series of eight letters by George Augustus Sala addressed to W. P. Frith, including an amusing forecast of his own epitaph:

When I die it may be written on my tomb,
He wrote the worst burlesque ever acted;
He abused the constituted authorities
and
with malice prepense
maligned
The Royal Academy of Arts.
He did the things he ought not to have done and never did
Those she should have done.
He was stout in person and bloated in countenance, and
He never came to dinner when he was asked.
But when he "dropped in" unasked was no doubt better company than many invited guests are!

—Pearson's Weekly.

Passport to the North Pole.

A passport to the north pole was issued some years ago by the governor of the province of Tobolsk, which stretches along the Russian shores of the Arctic ocean. The official was approached by two men who had been engaged to proceed to the north with an English expedition then fitting out. Their petition was for a passport to the pole itself, but the governor pointed out that the pole was as likely to be in their home province as in any other, that it was extremely unlikely they would reach it and that if they did there were no police there to examine their credentials. At last, however, to satisfy them he ordered the issue of a document allowing them to pass without let or hindrance to the north pole.

Futility of Education.

An eminent physician, at a recent convention of railway surgeons in Philadelphia, said of a safety device that has averted many railway accidents:

"The advantage of this device is now almost universally recognized. Indeed, the railroader who disputes its advantages is as antiquated as the old resdenter who said:

"'Edication be hanged. Thar's young Bill Smithers took an engineerin' course in a correspondence school and then put up a sign on his carriage house and hadn't no better sense than to spell "carriage" "garage."'"—Exchange.

He Aroused Them.

When Samuel S. Colber was preaching in an old log schoolhouse in Johnson county, Missouri, in 1852, his congregation was quite small. One Sunday all were sitting at the desks forward near the puncheon floor. The sermon was monotonous and the old log seats had no backs. Observing the sleepy, downcast look of the congregation, the minister woke them up by shouting, "Arouse, heaven is not under the floor!"

Proof of His Love.

'Arriet (doubtfully)—Bill, you says you loves me, but how do I know it to be true?

Bill (cheerily)—Bust me, 'Arriet! Didn't I stand you a tripe supper, a feed of whilks and a plate of stewed eels? What more d'ye want?—London Globe.

An Exchange of Compliments.

Howell—Your head is pretty thick.

Powell—I don't think the inside measurement of yours would be any strain on a tape measure.—New York Press.

Lazy Little Prue.

Sue—Wouldn't you just like to be as happy as a lark?

Prue—No, indeed. Think of the time they have to get up.—Lippincott's.

Oh, what men dare do, what men may do, what men daily do, not knowing what they do!—Shakespeare.

Two Duels.

At Edinburgh two Italians met at midnight to settle a dispute. Having but one pistol, they drew lots to see which one should shoot first. The winner fired and missed and then politely handed over the pistol to his adversary. The second shot likewise proving abortive, the bloodthirsty combatants fell upon each other's necks, then quit the field arm in arm.

First shot was decided by lot also in a duel between M. de Girardin, father of the author, Emile de Girardin, and a stranger whose skill with the pistol was being flaunted in a gallery. "Yes, he shoots well," remarked De Girardin indifferently, "but it's quite another thing to hit a man in a duel." A challenge was inevitable. The marksman fired first, his shot going wide. "Why don't you shoot?" asked the second of De Girardin, as the latter calmly walked away. "There is no reason why I should kill this gentleman," was De Girardin's reply. "He must now be convinced I was right."

The First American Play.

Harvard college produced the first American playwright in Royall Tyler, a graduate of 1776. His comedy, "The Contrast," was the first original play acted in this country, and it was produced at the old John Street theater in New York. The first subscriber was George Washington, then president of the United States. The country Jonathan in "The Contrast," on a visit to town drops into the theater with the expectation of seeing "a hocus pocus man" and sits out a performance of "The School For Scandal" without any notion that he has visited a playhouse. On being asked if he saw the man with his tricks, "Why, I vow," says he, "as I was looking out for him they lifted up a great green cloth and let us look right into the next neighbor's house." At the close he asks for his money as he has not had the show. "The dogs a bit of a sight have I seen unless you call listening to people's private business a sight."—Boston Transcript.

A Kipling Lament.

In Laurence Hutton's "Talks In a Library" he tells as follows of meeting Rudyard Kipling at a luncheon given to the latter by Richard Watson Gilder. "Another engagement made me late, and I entered the room as the party was breaking up. I was introduced to Mr. Kipling, with whom I exchanged the traditional few formal words, and we drifted apart, but a moment or two afterward he placed himself on the arm of a chair in which I was sitting and said: 'I didn't realize, Hutton, when I met you a moment ago who you were. Dear old Wolcott Balestier, your friend and mine, tried so hard and so many times to bring us together in London and elsewhere, and now he is gone and I can't understand it all. He died so suddenly and so far away. We had so much to say to each other, and now I have got to wait so long before I can say it.'"

Dutiable Toothpicks.

A friend who has just returned from Vienna has told me of an amusing incident which occurred in the orient express during the journey. One of the passengers called for a toothpick after dinner. The waiter disappeared to fetch it, but did not return. The diner became impatient, hammered his glass on the table, shouted for the waiter, and when at length he came, demanded toothpicks. The waiter gave his explanation.

"You see," he said, "we waiters have to supply the toothpicks. The German customs exact duty upon toothpicks, so when we reach the German frontier we always leave our toothpicks there and pick them up again on our way back." So there are no toothpicks upon the orient express during its passage through the kaiser's empire.—Paris Letter in London Express.

Up Against a Dead Wall.

The militant spelling reformer was trying to do something to the word "strength."

"There are seven consonants to one vowel in that word of only one syllable," he said after half an hour's cogitation, "but, darn it, you've got to use every one of them or you don't pronounce it right! I'll have to let the blamed thing stand as it is."

Then somebody suggested that he might shorten "incomprehensibility," and when last heard from he was engaged in a life and death struggle with that word.—Chicago Tribune.

An Interpretation.

"That 'E Pluribus Unum' is a great motto," said Mr. Dustin Stax. "I think I'll apply it to the big business I built up in Wall street."

"I don't see how you can do so."

"Why, they told me it means 'won out of many.'"—Washington Star.

Columbia's First Book Plate.

The first book plate for the library of Columbia college was made in 1795. It was designed and etched on copper by Alexander Anderson, the first American wood engraver, while he was a medical student.—Dietetic and Hygienic Gazette.

How She Knew.

Mrs. Commuter—But how do you know what kind of people the Browns are if you have never met them?

Mrs. Mutler—I have heard their phonograph selections.—Puck.

Quite Settled.

"Have they been married very long?"

"I guess so. He never talks back to her, and she appears to be satisfied if he gets home after midnight."—Detroit Free Press.

Ask only the well about their health.—Bacon

The Water Fay

A Legend of the River Rhine

By F. A. MITCHEL

A tourist viewing the ruined castles on the Rhine bank from the boat that plies up and down that historic stream, just above Wiesbaden, will see a broken pile of stones which mark the former home of Baron Korner. The baron's wife was in her youth considered the most beautiful woman in all Germany. Indeed, so beautiful was she that persons came from a distance to have a look at her.

As was to have been expected, the lady became so vain that her beauty, instead of being a source of comfort to her husband, was a matter of regret. He never complimented his wife on her beauty; consequently she cared little for him, devoting herself to admirers who went into raptures over it. The baron naturally became very bitter on the subject of woman's beauty, and when the baroness presented him with a daughter, Hildegarde, since beauty is hereditary and the child would likely be a beautiful woman, he gave orders that no one should even tell Hildegarde that she was beautiful. He also destroyed all the mirrors in the castle and disposed of the jewelry and other woman's adornments that tended to cultivate vanity. Then he gave orders that no one should bring any of these things into his home on pain of being thrown into the donjon under the castle.

The baroness died when Hildegarde was but a few years old and long before the child could be conscious of her appearance. She grew up as beautiful as her mother and, never having seen her face, was unconscious of her attractive appearance. But she lived rather a lonely life, for her father admitted few visitors to the castle, and no one was supposed to enter without making a pledge not to give evidence of having noticed Hildegarde's beauty, nor was the girl ever permitted to leave the castle.

Baron Korner as he grew older and his daughter's splendid beauty grew more transcendent formed a plan when Hildegarde came to a marriageable age of marrying her to a husband who should keep up his policy with regard to her. Having no son, he selected a younger son of a neighboring baron to wed her and take his place at his death as lord of the domain. Carl Von Ehrenstein was the chosen man, but not before he had sworn a solemn oath to surround his wife with the same barriers to which she had been accustomed.

Soon after the celebration of the nuptials the baron was killed by a fall from his horse while hunting, and Carl Ehrenstein became the lord of the castle. He deeply loved his wife and was very proud of her beauty, but he had been thoroughly informed by the late baron of all he had suffered on account of her mother's vanity and was intent to prevent it in Hildegarde. But she was now twenty years old, and it was not so easy for her husband to keep her shut up in the castle as it had been for her father to imprison a child. No sooner had there come an end to the late baron's obsequies than Hildegarde began to evince a desire to see the world.

Now, Hildegarde's nurse when her young mistress emerged from childhood became her maid, and the young baron consulted with her as to taking his wife outside the castle and still keeping around her the safeguards to which she had been accustomed. The maid, Gretchen, thought that the baroness could be taken on a tour without seeing a reflection of her person. Mirrors were not so common in those days as now, and Gretchen promised to watch for them and guard against her mistress being brought face to face with one. So the baron yielded to his wife's persuasions and set out with her, attended by her maid to show her the world.

The young husband was in terror from the first. Every person who passed them started on seeing Hildegarde and looked at her rapturously.

"Why do these persons stare at me thus?" she asked.

"It is because, never having been out into the world, which is filled with wickedness," replied her husband, "your features show that the innocence to which you were born is still in you."

Hildegarde was pleased with this, but not satisfied. They were at the time passing through different scenes from those to which her vision had been limited, and she was delighted with them.

"Shall I become wicked now that I have left the castle?" she asked.

"Not if you remain with me and Gretchen and do not mingle with the throng."

Hildegarde meditated for some time over this and at last said:

"I don't care to be perfect. I think I shall risk being corrupted by mingling with a few persons."

The young baron had arranged to take his wife for their first stop to the home of Heinrich Reinheart, a friend of his living near Worms. He had confided to this person the plan on which his wife had been brought up and had secured the promise of the removal of all mirrors from the premises and that all persons there should refrain from appearing to notice the beautiful guest.

A few hours after their arrival at their stopping place, which was situated in the center of beautiful grounds, Hildegarde slipped away from her guardians and went out to walk by herself. On the peak where she had been born there was no water except the Rhine flowing far below. In Reinheart's place there was a very beautiful sheet of water. As soon as Hildegarde saw it she ran toward it, clapping her hands with delight. There was no breeze, and the surface was perfectly placid. The young wife was enraptured with the smoothness of it, surrounded as it was with verdure, which on the opposite side was reflected in it. She wondered if the brink on which she stood was thus reflected. Looking down into it, she saw the blue sky there and white clouds sailing slowly along. Bending, she saw her reflection gazing at her.

Instantly a look of admiration came upon the reflected features.

"Who are you down there, a water fay? Whoever you are, you are very beautiful."

No answer came, but Hildegarde noticed that the lips of the image moved while she herself was talking.

"You must be an immortal else you would give me some reply. Strange that you should live down there in the water. I have heard of mermaids, but there is nothing of the fish in your composition. You must be a human being, who instead of breathing air breathes water; but, though you can see me, you can't communicate with me. Therefore you must be a human being who has grown to my age and died. Oh, dear! I wonder what you are!"

She ran back to the house and called to her husband: "Oh, Carl! Do come and see the beautiful girl living in the under world."

The baron knit his brows. He feared that the secret was out—that she had seen her image. He went with her to the pond, she chattering on the way about the vision of loveliness she had seen and wondering if it would be there when she returned. Carl meanwhile feeling confident that she had seen herself was trying to invent a story that would satisfy her. When they reached the pond she ran ahead of him and bent over it.

"There she is!" she exclaimed joyfully. "Come and see her."

But Carl hung back. "I know whom you are looking at," he said, "a water fairy. Come away. She will contaminate you."

"No, no! She is as good as she is beautiful. I can see purity in every feature."

Should Carl lean over the water to see the fairy his own face would be reflected there, and his wife would recognize it at once. This would lead her to understand that the other reflection was her own.

"No, no, sweetheart," he said. "Should I look at her she might enthrall me. Not for the world would I risk being drawn away from you."

"Would she?" exclaimed the girl in a tone that betrayed both fright and disappointment. "Then it would be your fault. She would never tempt you."

"Come away. This is the Lorelei, who has come from the banks of the Rhine. You know how she lures boatmen to their death. She would draw me down into the water, and I could never return to you."

Hildegarde, fearful that her husband might be right, knit her brows and saw her image do the same.

"Ah," she said. "I see that you are evil, after all. You have lured me here that you may take my husband from me, and now that you see he is not to be tempted you frown. Goodby. You are beautiful, but you are evil."

With this she rejoined Carl and, putting her arm through his, returned with him to the house.

When again they set out on their journey Carl persuaded his wife that they must not go near any more water, for the fairy would be in any water they approached and he might see her before he could withdraw. And once seeing her he feared the worst. Hildegarde was quite sure the girl she had seen was the Lorelei of whom she had heard so much and was ready to avoid the waters in which she lived. And so fearful was she of losing her husband that she proposed they go back to the castle, where there was no danger.

This pleased the young husband, who was in constant terror lest the admiring glances of the persons they met would betray the secret of his wife's beauty.

So they returned to their home, where there were no mirrors, no sheets of water and where every one was trained to refrain from showing admiration for the beautiful baroness. Presently a little son came to take up her attention, and she did not again feel any desire to see the world, or, rather, she feared to leave the castle with her husband for fear the water fay would get him.

This worked in two ways—the baroness not only remained at home, but would not permit her husband to go even down to the Rhine. This kept him with his wife and his family and his retainers. When the physical beauty of his wife faded it left an expression of purity, of unconscious beauty of soul. Persons who had formerly come to see her as a marvel of bodily perfection now came to view a saint.

It was not till this time that the baroness discovered that she had been so hedged about that she did not know that she was the fairy she had seen in the water and that it was she who had already enthralled her husband. But by this time she and he and their children had become welded together in one loving family, and her past beauty was not a matter of regret to her.

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Caspian Sea Is a Mystery.

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At that time the mighty Oxus—larger than the Ohio river—which now flows into the Aral sea, emptied into the Caspian. The old bed of that stream is visible to this day.

The Aral is more than 200 feet higher than the Caspian, and one can imagine what a torrent would roar down that incline were the Oxus to return to its ancient bed. The Aral sea would be drained.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Man Power and Coal Power.

Does any one realize the power of coal as a worker? A man was set to work to pump as hard as he could all day, and at the end of ten hours it was found that he had done just as much work as a little less than two ounces of coal could do. Taking all the energy put forth by a hardworking man during one whole year, the same amount of force would be furnished by thirty-six pounds of good coal, or say forty pounds of average coal. Of course even in our best engines the greater part of the working energy of coal is wasted. But even if only one-tenth is turned to account one and a half hundredweight of coal is equal to a man working 300 days of the year. A horse can do as much work as ten men, but one and a quarter pounds of coal have as much working force as a horse expends in one day. So that a ton of coal, if we could use all its force, would do as much work as six horses working for a whole year.

Curiosities of Sound.

There are mysteries in the transmission of sound that have not yet been fathomed. For example, the guns of the Orion are said to have been heard ninety-seven miles away, though inaudible to those much nearer, and it is on record that the reverberation of the battle of Waterloo reached many places in Kent, though General Colville and his detachment heard nothing of it a dozen miles away. Whistles, hoots, sirens and noises of all kinds have been tested by the Trinity House in order to find a noise which will be infallibly heard for a certain distance—in vain. They may all be heard for a dozen miles and be inaudible at half a mile. Many of the disasters about our coasts are doubtless due to that mysterious "soundless zone" in which the human ear cannot catch the warning. But no one has yet discovered the reason of that deaf spot or prophesied its varying locality.—Westminster Gazette.

Wanted to Be Exclusive.

P. V. Daniel, "Virginia gentleman," was one of the general officers of the old Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad.

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"Why?" protested its patron.

"Why!" thundered Daniel. "If you do that you will have every ragtag and bobtail in the state of Virginia riding on our road. That's 'why!'"

The resolution was unanimously tabled.—Everybody's.

Madrid's Throne Room.

The throne room of the royal palace at Madrid is one of the most magnificent in the world. Decorated in red and gold, it contains rock crystal chandeliers, colossal looking glasses of the finest quality, marble tables and priceless porphyry. The ceiling is painted by Tiepolo with the "Majesty of Spain," in illustration of the virtue of the kings and the manliness of the people, who are represented in the different costumes of the provinces. Here the sovereigns of Spain receive on grand occasions when alive and when dead are laid out in state.

When the Raven Was Milk White.

According to Mohammedan belief, the ravens which Noah took with him on the ark were both pure white. When the ark had been riding the billows of the flood for thirty-three days one of the giraffes died, and the carcass was thrown overboard. No sooner had it struck the water than the ravens pounced upon it. For this Noah cursed them, and since that day they have been coal black.

Something Fresh.

"Anything new or fresh this morning?" asked James Inquisitive.

"Yes," replied Turse briefly.

"What's that?" asked Inquisitive eagerly.

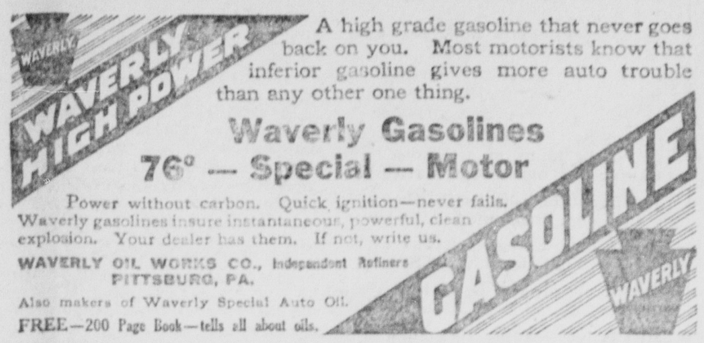
"The paint you're leaning against."—Scout.

The Human Enigma.

His Daughter—Papa, did you know mamma long before you married her? Her Father—Just between you and me, my dear, I don't know her yet.

Her Role.

He—They say Miss Lulu is very much in request for dinner parties. She—So I have heard. She is a regular dinner belle.



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Bellefonte for Mill Hall. 7:05 A. M., 2:20 and 6:45 P. M.
Leave,
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BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD. On and after Monday, Jan. 25th, 1909 trains will run as follows from the P. R. R. station.

TRAINS TO STATE COLLEGE.

	WESTWARD.	1 A. M.	3 A. M.	5 P. M
Lv.	Bellefonte	‡ 6.30	‡ 10.15	‡ 2.00
	Coleville	6.35	10.20	2.07
	Morris	f 6.38	.....	f 2.12
	Stevens	f 6.43	.....	f 2.17
	Hunters Park	f 6.46	.....	f 2.21
	Fillmore	f 6.50	f 10.34	f 2.26
	Briarly	f 6.55	.....	f 2.33
	Waddles	7.00	10.45	2.35
	Krumrine	f 7.12	.....	f 2.50
	State College	7.25	11.10	3.20
	Strubles	f 7.27	.....	.....
	Bloomsdorf	f 7.31	.....	.....
	Pine Grove Mills	7.35	.....	3.40

* Daily. ‡ Daily except Sunday. "f" Stop flag

TRAINS FROM STATE COLLEGE.

	EASTWARD	2 A. M.	4 A. M.	
Lv.	Pine Grove Mills	7.35	.....	f 3.20
	Bloomsdorf	f 7.40	.....	.....
	Strubles	f 7.45	.....	3.30
	State College	8.00	11.50	f 5.03
	Krumrine	f 8.07	.....	f 5.09
	Waddles	8.20	12.10	f 5.25
	Briarly	f 8.24	.....	5.27
	Fillmore	f 8.28	12.18	f 5.34
	Hunters Park	f 8.31	.....	f 5.40
	Stevens	f 8.35	.....	f 5.40
	Morris	f 8.37	.....	f 5.40
	Coleville	8.40	12.30	f 5.50
A.	Bellefonte	8.50	12.50	f 4.00

Morning trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Williamsport Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 3 and 5 for State College. Trains from trains from Montandon, Lewisburg Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 5 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna. R. R. trains at Bellefonte to points east and west.

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Woman Gored by Bull.

Mrs. Henry Nau, who lives at Mountain Orchard, near VanScoyoc, was badly gored by a big bull on Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Nau went to the pasture field to look after some cattle when the bull spied her and a lively race ensued. Before the lady could get over the fence the animal's horns caught her and ripped and cut the flesh in her limbs in a fearful manner. Dr. Fickes, of Tyrone, was summoned and rendered the necessary medical attention.

Here and There.

Centre County fair—September 3, 4, 5 & 6.

Miss Agnes Gherity, of Bellefonte, is visiting with friends in Tyrone.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Crider departed on Monday for Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

"The sweetest story ever told" is the story of Liggett's Chocolates—At Green's.

Miss Della Cross, of Bellefonte, is visiting with Mrs. John Hoffer, in Philipsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hamilton, of Bellefonte, visited with friends in Tyrone on Saturday and Sunday.

Christ Sharer, of near Port Matilda, was a business visitor in Bellefonte between trains on Saturday.

Postmaster Philip D. Foster, of State College, greeted friends and transacted business in Bellefonte on Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Brandt and children, of Altoona, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hoy, on Water Street.

A son was born on Sunday to Mrs. Elizabeth Orvis Harvey, who is a daughter of Judge and Mrs. Ellis L. Orvis.

Dominique Judge, of the Bellefonte Central, visited several days last week in Philipsburg, his old stamping ground.

James E. Poorman, of Bellefonte, was on Friday last admitted to the Lock Haven hospital for surgical treatment.

Mrs. John Curtin and little son, John, Jr., departed today for Belmar, N. J., where they will visit at Will Furst's cottage.

Herbert Auman was a delegate from Bellefonte to the Central District Firemen's Convention, held last week at Houtzdale.

John Noll, of Pleasant Gap, has been engaged for several weeks in Tyrone, where he is repapering and painting a number of homes.

Miss Anna Lyon is having her household goods shipped to Philadelphia, in which city she will make her home with her sister, Miss Rebecca Lyon.

George H. Yarnell, of Zion, on Tuesday started work as one of the foremen on the State highway repair job between Lemont and State College.

Mrs. Katherine Strawmyer and Mrs. Margaret Sprankle, of Altoona, visited over Sunday at the home of their sister, Mrs. Charles McCoy, on Thomas Street.

Philip D. Waddle, the chief ray of sunshine at the Bush House, is again on the job, after several days rusticating on his old stamping ground up Buffalo Run.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Spicher arrived in Bellefonte from Wilkinsburg yesterday and are visiting with Mrs. Spicher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Heckman.

Colonel W. Fred Reynolds on Saturday received a late model Pierce-Arrow touring car, said to be the highest priced machine on the market. The car cost $6,000.

Mrs. Mary M. Jacobs and daughter, Miss Rebecca Jacobs, who have been visiting for several weeks at the F. W. Crider home, departed on Tuesday for Williamsport.

Mrs. Herbert McCoy and two interesting little children returned to Jersey Shore on Monday, after a pleasant visit at the Charles McCoy home, on Thomas Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Schreyer, of Chicago, arrived in Bellefonte on Sunday evening and remained over night at the Bush House, departing on Monday afternoon for New York.

James I. Bradley and Miss Ida M. Lucas, of Milesburg, were married at 3 o'clock yesterday by Rev. C. W. Winey, the ceremony being solemnized in the United Brethren parsonage.

The United Brethren Sunday school Class No. 8, will hold a social and sale of pies, cakes, candies and ice cream in the room adjoining the church on Saturday evening, August 31. All are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira D. Garman and children, of Philadelphia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Garman, of Tyrone. The two families are enjoying this week at the Fairbrook Country Club, at Penna. Furnace.

Two very genial visitors in Bellefonte on Tuesday were A. A. Pletcher, of Howard, and his brother, S. S. Pletcher, of Washington, D. C. They were here a few hours only, but found time to call on friends who were glad to see them.

Mrs. John Hinman Gibson, who had been visiting for some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cook, returned yesterday to Rutherford, N. J. Her little daughter, Margaret, will remain for several weeks longer at the Cook home.

Mrs. Herbert M. Bartley returned to Lock Haven on Tuesday, after a very enjoyable visit at Waddles. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Fred Yocum, who has been admitted to the Lock Haven hospital as an operative patient.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Krebs and Miss Maud Decker, of Pine Grove Mills, drove to Bellefonte yesterday and from here proceeded by train to Hecla Park, where they attended the picnic held by the Pennsylvania Railroad shop men from Altoona. Twelve coaches were required to transport the crowd from Altoona to the park.

William E. Tate, of near Centre Hall, was a genial visitor in town between trains on Monday. He was accompanied by Robert McIntosh, of McKeesport, who is visiting at the Tate home. Mr. McIntosh stated that the mills in and about McKeesport are exceedingly busy and that the greatest difficulty these days is to secure men.

The flushing of the paved streets with the fire hose, equipped with the special nozzle provided by the Civic Club, adds greatly to the cleanliness of the town. Handling the nozzle is a little task in itself, but the men in charge of the work are rapidly mastering it and soon will be able to flush the streets without throwing the dirt onto the sidewalks. The Civic Club is to be congratulated on the enterprise displayed in impressing the borough Council with the value of cleanliness, not only as an advertisement to the town but for the general health of the citizens.

Hot water bottles at half-price—At Green's.

Ira Korman, of Oak Hall, was a business visitor in town yesterday.

Lawyer W. G. Runkle yesterday made a flying business trip to Altoona.

Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Braucht, of Spring Mill, motored to Bellefonte yesterday.

George B. Johnston, of Beaver Falls, is visiting with old Bellefonte friends.

The Joseph Pressler family this week removed from Bellefonte to Milesburg.

Miss Elizabeth Gephart has as a house guest Miss Frederica Hays, of Sewickley.

Mrs. A. Wilson Norris, of Harrisburg, is a house guest of Mrs. Emma N. Bogle.

Miss Helen Kauffman, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Homer Crissman, on Thomas Street.

The front porch at the Elks clubhouse is resplendent in a new coat of paint, the colors being brown and drab.

Quite a few persons from Bellefonte attended the funeral of the late S. M. Bell, at Boalsburg, on Monday.

Ever try "Black & White" cigars? They are the best ever. Once tried you will always use them—At Green's.

Mrs. Odille Mott, of East Bishop Street, was last night removed to the Bellefonte hospital for an operation.

Harvest Home services will be held in the Bellefonte Reformed church on Sunday morning, next, at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Shreffler, of Altoona, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. McMullen, and sister, Mrs. Samuel Gordon, at Pleasant View.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Woods, of Pine Grove Mills, were shopping and social visitors in Bellefonte between trains yesterday.

Mrs. James K. Barnhart and little daughters, Louise and Eleanor, are visiting at Mrs. Barnhart's old home in Punxsutawney.

Rev. Dr. A. M. Schmidt and family returned to Bellefonte on Friday night, after a very enjoyable stay of two weeks at Ocean City, N. J.

The L. C. Bullock, Jr., family, of Milesburg, this week removed to State College, at which place they will make their home in the future.

The ladies of Tyrone on Monday organized a Women's Civic Club. Mrs. R. L. Piper was accorded the distinction of being its first president.

David Chambers, W. C. Snyder and Larry Redding, of Snow Shoe, were business visitors in town yesterday, making the trip in the Chambers car.

W. K. Corl, of State College, with Justice of the Peace Jacob Keller, executors in the Charles Snyder estate, transacted business in town yesterday.

T. M. Gramley, of Spring Mills, was a Bellefonte visitor between trains on Monday, finding time to transact a little business and also look up a few friends.

Misses Helen Valentine and Katherine Curtin departed yesterday for Cazenovia, a summer resort near Syracuse, N. Y., where they will visit with Mrs. Bruce Burlingame.

Genial Captain W. H. Fry, of Pine Grove Mills, the well known veterinarian, was in Bellefonte on Wednesday transacting a little business and greeting his numerous friends, to say nothing of making his plans to attend the county fair next week.

Dr. George Kirk, of Kylertown, who a number of years ago resided in Bellefonte, and William H. Dukeman, one time Deputy Sheriff and later Deputy Recorder here, were among those to come to Bellefonte yesterday for the funeral of the late James L. Sommerville.

Mrs. Nancy J. McMeen was eighty-four years old Tuesday, last, and in honor of the happy occasion "open house" was observed all day at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry R. Curtin, at Curtin. Many old and young friends called during the day to extend congratulations and best wishes. Despite her advanced years Mrs. McMeen is remarkably active and derives much pleasure in closely following events of the day.

"Chauncey Bill" Stewart, now located in Tulsa, Oklahoma, is enjoying a little visit to his old home at State College. In addition to being interested in some oil wells he has a moving picture show at Tulsa and manages to get his share of the dollars hunting owners in Oklahoma. Speaking of political conditions out his way "Chauncey Bill" says that there is considerable Roosevelt sentiment and a lack of enthusiasm for Wilson, who does not seem to be very well known to the people

The Keichline agency this week sold to Fred Kustaborder a Ford touring car, also a Ford to Frank P. Bartley. It is rather likely that Mr. Keichline will discontinue the Ford agency after this year and devote more time and attention to his garage and repair work. The Sebring agency on Tuesday received a car load of Overland touring cars, three in number. One was for Edward Owens, of the Potter-Hoy Hardware Company. One was sold to Samuel Durst, of Centre Hall, and the third was taken by Bagley & Bowman, of Lock Haven.

M. C. Gephart, the Bellefonte music and piano dealer, has arranged a most attractive exhibit for the Centre County fair next week. He will have on the ground a fine assortment of pianos and player-pianos and during each day will give musical entertainments. Mr. Gephart's policy is to give persons interested in pianos and player-pianos an opportunity to inspect his line while at the fair grounds and see and hear the instruments while in actual use. He extends a cordial invitation to the public to visit his exhibit every day during the fair. Mr. Gephart is a home dealer and merits a liberal share of our home patronage.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Rine, of Greensburg, were called to Bellefonte this week by the death of Mrs. Rine's mother, Mrs. Anna Gessner. Mr. Rine returned to Greensburg yesterday, but Mrs. Rine will remain here for a week or ten days. It is about 16 years since Mr. Rine left Bellefonte as an Adams Express Company agent, and he has remained continuously with that company. For a number of years he was located at Punxsutawney and Latrobe, but at present he is in charge of the Greensburg office, which has a force of ten drivers and clerks. Although still a young man his long record of continuous service establishes him as one of the veterans with the Adams.

Our line of toilet articles is complete We invite inspection.—Green's.

James Lowry, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowry, is one of the boys from Bellefonte of whom his home friends have every reason to be proud. For some time past he has been located at Crystal City, Missouri, with the Pittsburg Plate Glass Company. That he proved faithful to his trust and demonstrated his ability was evidenced by his employers when on August 19th, last, this notice was posted in all departments of the company in Crystal City: "James Lowry has been appointed general night foreman and in charge of all departments of No 9 works, assuming his duties as such with this date. Signed, G. C. Taylor, Superintendent." We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Lowry on having a son who is making such rapid strides with what is recognized to be one of the largest and wealthiest corporations in the world.

William A. Bottorf, of Scotia, is one of those fellows who is hustling and rolling in the dollars this summer. He has been making quite a record for himself as a photographer and takes in all the picnics in the nearby parks. In addition to having a button photograph machine he recently purchased the most modern picture machine on the market. This enables him to take post card size pictures, also tin types and button pictures. All three sizes of pictures are made with the one machine, a mere turn of a lever changing the size as may be desired. William will have both machines at the Odd Fellows picnic at Hunter's Park on September 2—Labor Day—and if you happen to be there and want a good picture of yourself he will be ready to accommodate you and give you the very best kind of service.

J. L. SOMMERVILLE DEAD

Former Resident of Bellefonte Passed Away Suddenly at Winburne.

James Laing Sommerville died suddenly at his home at Winburne on Saturday, August 24th. Born in Airdrie, Scotland, the only child of John S. and Bessie Laing Sommerville, he accompanied his father to America at an early age and was educated at the Bellefonte Academy and the Franklin Institute.

Mr. Sommerville had been identified with the coal business for the last sixty years, being the first operator in the Snow Shoe and Winburne fields.

At the time of his death he was President of the Carnwath Coal Co., the Bituminous National Bank of Winburne, and a director of the Cottage State Hospital at Pilipsburgh.

Mr. Sommerville was a life long Presbyterian, for over fifty years an elder of the church and was a man of pure, unselfish life and strong character.

His wife, Jane Harris, of Bellefonte, passed away on March 10th., last. Their married life was spent in Bellefonte until 1890 when they moved to Winburne. Their children are Bond V., Crafton, Pa., John S., of Robertsdale, James H., deceased, Alon O., of Arcadia; Donald L., of Utica, N. Y.; Bessie, Mary and Robert H., of Winburne.

Mr. and Mrs. Sommerville had an ideal married life, their children rise up and call them blessed. "Lovely and pleasant in their lives, in their death they were not divided."

Funeral service at his late home at Winburne, on Tuesday afternoon at 3 P. M. Burial at Bellefonte on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock from the residence of James H. Potter.

Mrs. Anna Gessner Dead.

Mrs. Anna Gessner died very suddenly on Friday night of last week and was buried on Tuesday morning, interment being made in the Catholic cemetery. By those who knew her best the news of her death was received with the deepest sorrow. She was a most estimable woman, endeavoring in her modest way to help others with whom she came into contact. A devout christian, she led a good life and died with the comforting knowledge that she was to reap her reward. Mrs. Gessner was aged 71 years and is survived by these children: Joseph, of Jeannette; Lawrence, of Arnold; Mrs. Lewis Blatt, of McKeesport; Mrs. Thomas Rishel, and Katherine Gessner, of Bellefonte, and Mrs. Edward E. Rine, of Greensburg. Surviving also are one sister, Mrs. Tillie Berger, of Jeannette, and one brother, Lawrence Fusser, of Kane.

Says She Was Attacked.

Sheriff Lee and District Attorney Fortney on Monday went to Linden Hall to investigate an alleged attack made on Saturday night upon Mrs. Katherine Coble, who is about 80 years of age. Mrs. Coble declared that about 9 o'clock Saturday night a strange man entered her bedroom and attacked her, later demanding money. She said that she gave the stranger $31. The county officials were unable to find any trace of a stranger having been in the vicinity of the Coble home prior to the alleged attack. One of Mrs. Coble's eyes was blackened, but she was unable to explain how it had been injured. A rather singular coincidence is the fact that about one year ago Mrs. Coble reported that she had been attacked in much the same manner as on Saturday night.

Sylvan Lodge Burned.

Fire on Monday night destroyed the Sylvan lodge, in Lakemont Park, near Altoona. The building was occupied with a roller skating rink, a restaurant and a dancing pavilion. The loss was upward of $5,000. For a time it was feared that the flames would destroy all the buildings in the park, but heroic work by the firemen confined the blaze to the one structure.

Local Teachers to Meet.

The Midyear Meeting of the Central Pennsylvania Branch National Association of Local Preachers will be held at Sunbury September 6, 7 and 8, next, in St. John's Methodist Episcopal church. All local preachers and their friends are invited to meet with us.

C. C. SHUEY, Sect'y,
Bellefonte, Pa.

The 55th anniversary of the National Association of Local Preachers in America will be held in South Chester Methodist Episcopal church, Chester, Pa., October 10 to 13 next. All local preachers are invited to attend this gathering, and will be entertained free by writing Rev. George W. Sheetz, D. D., by October 1st, next.

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Married at Boalsburg.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Koch, at Boalsburg, was the scene on Wednesday of one of the prettiest weddings of the season, the contracting parties being their daughter, Adaline and Isaac Campbell, the latter of Fairbrook. The ceremony was performed at high noon by Rev. Mr. O'Reilly, of State College, and was witnessed by a number of intimate friends. The happy young couple departed on the afternoon train on a honeymoon tour which will include visits to Philadelphia, New York and other eastern cities. The bride is an especially fine young lady and admirably well qualified to preside over her new home. Mr. Campbell is a progressive young farmer and is popular with a wide circle of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell will reside on the old Campbell farm, at Fairbrook.

Marriage Licenses.

Register Frank C. Smith has issued the following marriage licenses:

John T. Spangler, Abbie J. Gilbert,	Tylersville Rebersburg
Reuben S. Friday, Flora A. Penny,	State College "
Roy F. Miller, Mary M. Bierly,	Madisonburg "
Carl A. Laich, Agusta Glowatz,	Cassanova "
Chas. H. Vonada, Flora Walker,	Sylvan Grove, Kan Centre Hall
J. L. Vonada, Anna P. Rachau,	Spring Mills Madisonburg
Isaac O. Campbell, Adaline Koch,	Fairbrook Boalsburg
Harvey I. Maurer, Minnie McDonald,	New Berlin Martha Furnace
Elmer E. Riitenhouse, Helen M. Townsend,	Philipsburg "
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James Irvin Bradley, Ida M. Lucas.	Milesburg "

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